

# 40-cent per gallon gas tax hike considered?

United Press International  
The fuel shortage sent many Americans to work today from cooler homes to cooler offices, in cars not supposed to go faster than 50 miles an hour and with news that a heavy gasoline tax or rationing of auto fuel is likely before long.

Two top administration energy experts said chances are good for gasoline rationing before the end of winter, and the New York Times and the Washington Post both

reported he administration is considering a 40-cent per gallon gasoline tax.

But the energy crisis was not bad news for everyone. Firewood and long underwear dealers say business is booming. In Massachusetts the Brookline Ice and Coal Co. reported a run on firewood.

"We've been swamped with telephone inquiries for the past four weeks and in that time our business has doubled," a spokesman said.

Two Boston area dealers said they were out of wood and, "it may be weeks before we get more."

Long underwear also was in great demand. Wally Smith, a buyer for a recreational equipment store that stocks supplies of mountaineering and skiing gear, said, "A sudden run on such apparel could exhaust our stocks. Resupply took a month last year. It may take three months or more this year."

In New York and New Jersey,

highway speed limits were lowered to 50 miles an hour, and motorists in about a dozen other states or major cities were asked to observe the 50 m.p.h. limit voluntarily.

UPI reporters in seven states where residents have been requested to observe a 50 m.p.h. limit, said most drivers were not.

"Several people who got behind me and then had to change lanes to pass looked at me like I was some kind of nut," reported Los Angeles correspondent Jack Fox.

Robert Faulkner, regional superintendent of maintenance for Continental Trailways bus lines, responding to recent New York and New Jersey directives to reduce highway speed limits to 50 m.p.h., said diesel bus engines function at top efficiency only at speeds of 60 m.p.h. and above.

"At lower speeds it has a tendency to run cooler and less efficiently," he said.

The energy shortage has caused

many communities to forego plans for bright Christmas lighting displays of years past. In New

Hampshire, Gov. Meldrim Thomson suggested an old-fashioned Christmas with popcorn and cookies on trees instead of lights.

"People can decorate their trees with popcorn, cookies and things like that, but it would be best if they held off on lighting to save electricity," Thomson said.

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DONALD H. SEGRETTI, convicted Watergate "dirty tricks" prankster was the center of attention this morning when he entered FCI, Lompoc's minimum security camp, to begin a six month term. Interviewing Segretti is NBC's Ed Harker.

### Segretti enters FCI

Donald H. Segretti, 32, who acknowledged to the Senate Watergate Committee directing a network of 28 agents in six states in activities directed against the campaigns of leading democratic contenders, wheeled his cream colored Mercedes coupe through the gate of the Federal Correctional Institution in Lompoc at 10:30 this morning.

After passing the FCI at 10:10, Segretti, a California lawyer, zoomed through a knot of newsmen waiting at the main entrance, finally arriving in front of the institution's minimum security camp, where he'll serve six months for his Watergate involvement.

Asked about his reaction to incarceration in the barracks-like camp, Segretti said, "Well, it was mixed." The convicted Watergate "dirty tricks" prankster denied that he had any bitterness about his conviction and term, but advised newsmen to pay attention to Watergate developments as they will unfold over the next several weeks, though he didn't explain what he meant by this.

Appearing pale, freckle-cheeked and boyish in old pants and a faded sports shirt, the former political agent said he didn't have anything to add on the Watergate matter and mounted the concrete steps of the institution as other prisoners gathered in clumps and watched from windows.

### Suspects' death toll now at 18

STOCKTON (UPI) — Two bodies tossed carelessly among tall water reeds in the remote Sierras brought to 18 today the number of killings linked to massacre suspects Douglas E. Gretzler and Willie L. Steelman.

Arizona and California detectives investigating a two-state murder spree found the bodies Sunday in the tules near Knights Ferry, at a location pinpointed by the jailed suspects.

Gretzler, 22, and Steelman, 28, were definitely linked with 18 cold-

blooded "execution" murders that began in Arizona in mid-October and climaxed last Wednesday with the slaying of nine persons in the tiny Northern California town of Victor.

The slashed bodies found Sunday were believed to be those of Mike Adshade and Ken Unrein, both 21, who were kidnaped in Phoenix, Ariz. Oct. 16. The suspects told detectives they killed the two kidnap victims because they kept pleading to be freed.

On Saturday, again led by directions from the suspects, Pinal

County Sheriff's deputies in Arizona found a body buried head down in a sleeping bag near Superstition Mountain.

In addition, Gretzler and Steelman were also suspected in the murder of two Arizona couples in Apache Junction and Tucson, and were linked to the slaying of Gilbert R. Sierra in Tucson Nov. 2.

Gretzler, a baby-faced New Yorker, and Steelman, a drifter with a long delinquency record from Lodi, Calif., were captured in Sacramento last Thursday.

### Environment a trade for energy?

(Editor's note: this is the fourth of a series.)

By STEVE LA RUE  
Staff Writer

Pacific Gas and Electric Company spokesmen, when they discuss the utility's huge new nuclear power generating unit at Diablo Canyon, stress the environmental question of the facility as a trade-off, a matter of perspective.

"It's not a question of whether or not we need a plant," PG&E Nuclear information specialist Miles Sheldon maintains. "It's just where to put it. We are going to have some environmental damage. We

realize that. But we look at it as a trade-off. The good that the plant will do will outweigh whatever environmental damage it will do."

That is, the plant's sea water discharge influence on marine life, predicted by the utility to remain local, and whatever other damage from transmission line and other construction will be a reasonable price for 2,000 million watts of electricity.

At the Atomic Energy Commission's September final environmental hearing on the second of Diablo's two nuclear units, H. R. Perry, chief utility

planning engineer, did some load forecasting.

Though the long-term growth rate in the utility's 58 county, 8.5 million person service area will decline to 6.5 per cent yearly through 1982 from a traditional 7.6 per cent, Perry said that "without the Diablo Canyon Units, it would be impossible to render reliable electric service."

A 6.5 annual growth rate is still growth, and Perry's figures indicated that by 1980, PG&E's August system peak demand will wax from a present 12,000 million watts to an estimated 18,670 million watts.

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## Nixon agrees to turn over more tapes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Nixon agreed today to give Judge John J. Sirica additional White House materials so that he could determine the substance of two of Nixon's key Watergate conversations and also prove they were not recorded.

In a lengthy statement, Nixon expressed confidence that the added material consisting of other tapes and dictated memoranda would show "that these two conversations were never recorded" and that "any public doubt on this issue will be completely and satisfactorily removed."

At issue were conversations on Watergate Nixon had with ousted White House counsel John W. Dean III last April 15 and former Attorney General John N. Mitchell on June 20, 1972, three days after the break-in of Democratic national headquarters.

The White House said that because of inadequacies of special apparatus in Nixon's White House offices, those conversations were not recorded.

Sirica is conducting hearings on the absence of direct tapes of those conversations.

"There is no question in my mind but that the open court hearing, now being conducted, will demonstrate to the court's satisfaction truth of our statements that these two conversations were never recorded," Nixon's prepared

### Strike

NEW YORK (UPI) — Striking non-medical employees at 48 voluntary hospitals and nursing homes voted overwhelmingly today to approve a wage settlement hammered out over the weekend with the Cost of Living Council.

The workers were scheduled to return to their jobs for the 4 p.m. shift thereby ending a bitter week-long walkout marked by numerous arrests and violent incidents on the picket lines.

According to preliminary results from eight institutions, the membership voted 1,360 yes to 221 against the wage settlement.

### Glimpses

Donna Bouscaren and friends looking pleased as she is sworn in as a Naval Air Reservist at Pt. Mugu.

### Weather

Scattered showers last night dropped nearly a third of an inch of rain on Lompoc Valley raising the season total to .71 of an inch. The young season total was about .60 of an inch below the total last year at this time.

Rain likely at times today through Tuesday. Cooler with highs both days in the 60s and low 70s. Lows tonight in the upper 40s to low 50s. Small craft advisory for southerly winds 15 to 25 mph decreasing today and becoming westerly.

Tuesday tides  
High tide of 6.5 feet at 10:56 a.m.  
Low tides of 2.4 feet at 4:37 a.m. and minus 0.9 of a foot at 6:24 p.m.

statement said.

"In fact there is no affirmative evidence to the contrary. I believe that when the court concludes its evaluation of the testimony and documentary evidence, public doubt on this issue will be completely and satisfactorily removed."

At the same time, Nixon said he felt it was important for him to issue public remarks "so that misconceptions about this matter do not persist simply because certain basic facts are not presented to the American public."

In Sirica's courtroom, White House attorney J. Fred Buzhardt made first public disclosure—a short time before the Nixon statement was read—that no actual dictaphone belt of Nixon's personal

memo on the Dean conversation existed.

Nixon said he would submit notes he made of the meeting with Dean and recordings of two conversations with him the next day.

The President said a comparison of his notes on the April 15 session and the recordings of the April 16 meetings showed that all three "covered the same subject matter."

"There are references throughout the conversation on the morning of April 16 to the conversation held the evening before," Nixon said.

Dean has testified under oath that Nixon made remarks at the April 15 talk showing he was aware of the Watergate cover-up efforts by White House aides.

## Planners to tackle two key topics

Lompoc Planning Commission tonight will tackle two thorny issues: one a public hearing to determine whether to revoke a use permit for a recycling center, and the other, a discussion of a use permit recently denied by the City Council for a development at Dixie Court Motel, 820 E. Ocean Ave.

The recycling center operated by Louis J. Gagnon at 312 N. First St., has been under fire for some time because of the alleged violation of some of the conditions under which the commission originally issued the permit.

The Dixie Court Motel issue has been bouncing around for some weeks because of opposition of some adjacent property owners to the

proposed conversion of the motel units to apartments, a use that is not permitted in the parcel's Convenience Center zoning. In the light of the council action denying the permit it was unclear what action would be taken tonight.

In other action the commission was expected to consider the following:

— A public hearing to consider the request of Ronald Maurice Stewart for permission to establish a business telephone in his home at 1025 North O St.

— A letter from the Alcoholic Beverage Control in regard to the withdrawal of an application for off-sale beer and wine license at 1216 E. Ocean Ave.

## New problems in peace pact

United Press International  
New difficulties arose today in carrying out terms of the Egyptian-Israeli Middle East agreement but the Israeli National Radio said Israel handed over to the United Nations its Kilometer 101 checkpoint on the Cairo-Suez road as the first step of putting the agreement into force.

The difficulties arose over Israeli insistence and Cairo reluctance to exchange prisoners of war at the same time Israel permitted the U.N. Emergency Force to take

control of a supply corridor to Suez City and Egypt's trapped 3rd Army. The decision taken today at an Egyptian-Israeli meeting at the checkpoint 60 miles from Cairo indicated some of the difficulties were being cleared up.

Both sides appeared ready to go to Geneva next month for formal peace negotiations aimed at a lasting peace to end a quarter of a century of Arab-Israeli warfare but whether the two sides would actually meet face to face still had not been decided.

## Schools may get money soon

Lompoc Unified School District will finally get more than a half million dollars previously withheld by the state — providing all goes well at a hearing by the courts next week.

A hearing has been scheduled for Nov. 20 to consider the appeal by the state of a judgement for \$579,229 in state education aid monies granted the district by the courts. County Counsel George P. Kading has informed district officials that the

state will probably fail in a bid to block the judgement.

School trustees will note the action tomorrow, 3:30 p.m. during a regular meeting in the Central Administration Building, 1301 North A St.

In other action the trustees were expected to discuss the energy crisis and the district's response as indicated by energy cutback actions announced last Friday by Joseph Carlin, chief of the district's physical plant of 18 schools.



Kissinger meets with Mao

PEKING (UPI) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger met for nearly two hours, 45 minutes today with Mao Tse-tung in which they discussed a wide range of subjects, and the Chinese Communist Party Chairman passed on his regards to President Nixon.

Kissinger went to the residence of the 79-year-old Mao, on the edge of the Forbidden City, after a three-hour meeting with Premier Chou En-lai.

Kissinger was accompanied on the visit by Ambassador David K. E. Bruce, chief of the U.S. liaison office in Peking who was meeting Mao for the first time, and Winston Lord, another State Department representative who formerly was a White House assistant to Kissinger.

Ambassador Robert J. McCloskey, serving as chief State Department spokesman during the Kissinger visit to the

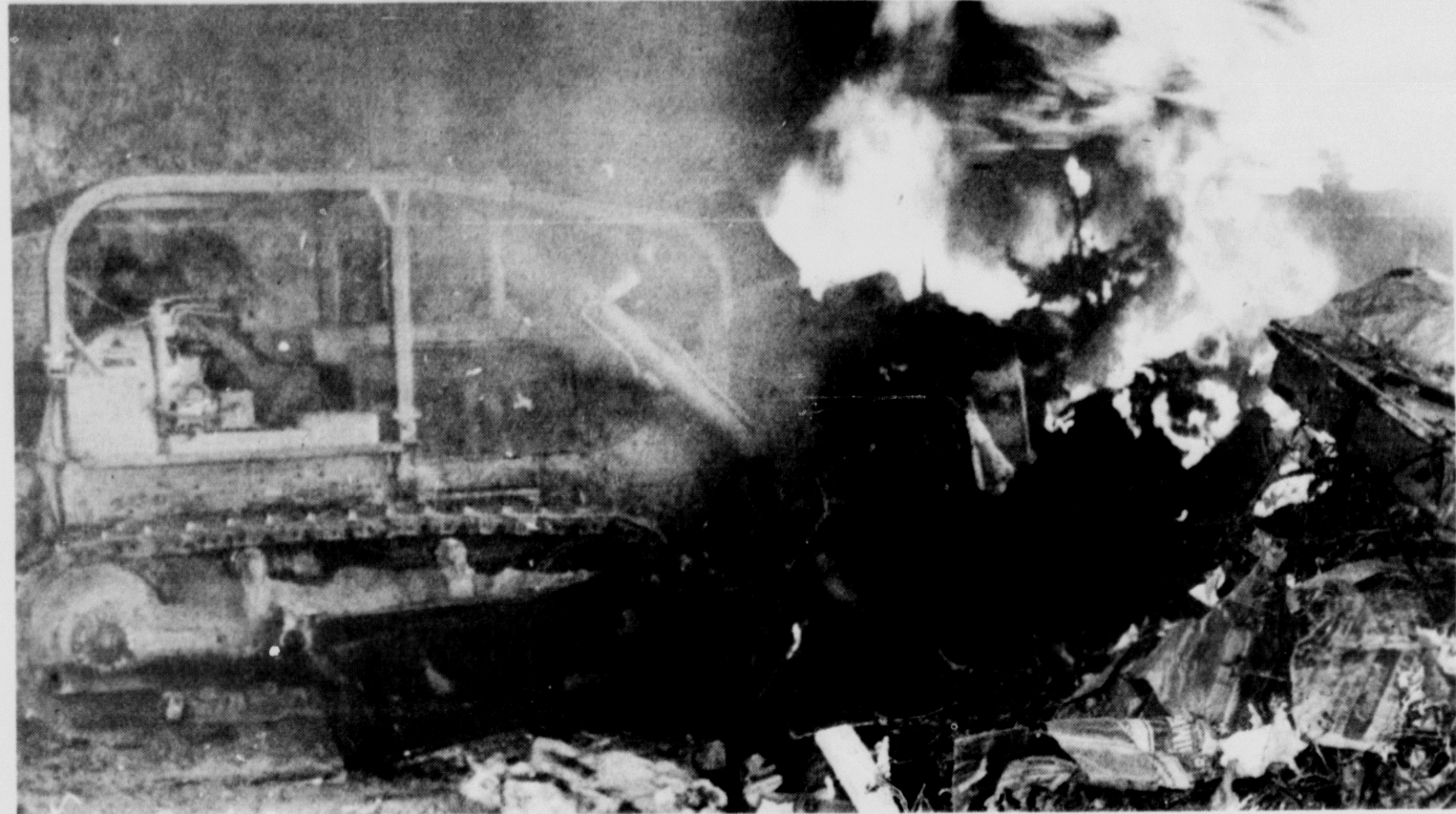
Chinese capital, which winds up Wednesday, told reporters after the Kissinger-Mao meeting:

"Chairman Mao expressed his welcome to Dr. Kissinger on his revisit to China and had a conversation with him on a wide range of subjects in a friendly atmosphere.

"At the end of the meeting, Chairman Mao asked Dr. Kissinger to convey his regards to President Nixon."

McCloskey, who coordinated the brief announcement with his Chinese counterpart, told reporters under questioning that Kissinger also had expressed the President's best wishes to Mao.

The lengthy meetings by Kissinger with Mao and Chou fueled speculation that broadened Sino-American contacts would result from the Kissinger visit, but no details were immediately forthcoming.



CITY BULLDOZER OPERATOR W.W. Herrier, almost obscured by smoke, left, rams his tracked vehicle into a pile of burning debris, part of a fire that swept across the city's solid waste disposal land fill Sunday southwest of Lompoc. County fire officials speculate the blaze was caused by hot ashes deposited in the landfill. City of Lompoc Fire units were also on hand to fight the county-area fire.

Gasoline rationing by 1974?

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Gasoline rationing by early 1974 or before was foreseen by several administration and congressional leaders today. Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., chief sponsor of emergency energy legislation, said the sooner it comes, the better.

Jackson called together the Senate Interior Committee, which he heads, to put the finishing touches on legislation embodying many recommendations proposed by President Nixon last week. Jackson said the bill would be approved today and predicted Senate passage Wednesday.

Among the provisions of the legislation is clear standby authority for the administration to ration gasoline. Interior Secretary Rogers C.B. Morton and Charles DiBona, deputy White House energy adviser, both said rationing was likely early next year.

Jackson said today: "The sooner we move on gasoline rationing, the more we will save and the less traumatic the effect. If we delay it, it'll just whambo! I mean, we'll get hit so hard, they'll say why didn't you tell us earlier?"

Price hike will hamper search

By VAUGHN PROCTOR  
Staff writer

Local physicians are still reeling under the impact of new economic burdens that will slow efforts to recruit more practitioners to the Lompoc Valley area.

Malpractice insurance costs for physicians will be hiked 75 per cent from the present maximum premiums of about \$4,000 a year to about \$7,000, it was disclosed last week.

Dr. James D. Warrick, a principal in the Valley Medical Group at Walnut Avenue and Third Street, said the increase in the insurance cost of doing business would make it more difficult for Lompoc to recruit physicians to meet a critical

shortage.

"I thought you ought to know this," Warrick said, in reference to a recent series of articles in the Record highlighting the physician shortage.

He said the increase added to other cost hikes tended to discourage young physicians from going into private practice and instead made institutional service more appealing.

Malpractice insurance cost only about \$500 a year for a physician in 1968, Warrick said, but the price tag went up about tenfold in the next 18 months.

He called the new cost figure of about \$7,000 a "roadblock" to the recruitment of more doctors.

Downtown committee to meet

Lompoc's facelift, what Lompoc may look like some day, will be previewed tomorrow night at 7:30 in the City Hall Auditorium.

The Downtown Revitalization Committee meets then with downtown merchants and property owners to review work accomplished to date on the revitalization plan for downtown Lompoc.

Roger Marshall of Architectural Arts of San Luis Obispo will present street renderings, a six-by-eight foot three dimensional model of a redeveloped downtown, and schematics. It will be the first time for

most to see the proposed downtown changes.

"We hope to get input (from the merchants and owners) and go back to complete the preliminary study that will determine the cost estimate," Mayor E.C. Stevens said today.

Stevens said he hopes that at least half of the hundred-plus merchants and owners show-up for tomorrow night's meeting.

Also, planning director Al Autry will give an overview of the redevelopment plans

as they fit into the long range plans of Lompoc.

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Daily record

A 14-YEAR-old Lompoc youth, Steven Louis Domingos of 1104 E. Cypress Ave., was listed in good condition in Lompoc Hospital today with an accidentally inflicted gunshot wound in one hand.

Sheriff's officials said the shooting was an accident. A slug from a .22 caliber rifle penetrated the back of young Domingos' hand and came out the palm. The youth's father reportedly drove him to Lompoc Hospital Saturday afternoon shortly after the accident in a creek bed near Sweeney Road.

ROBERT McIlroy, 57, of 220 W. North Ave., Apt. 2, suffered minor injuries Saturday night when he lost

control of his car and wound up in an open field off Highway 246, 3 1/2 miles west of Buellton. The California Highway Patrol said the car turned over. McIlroy was taken to Vandenberg Air Force Base Hospital.

DR. JAY Keystone, personal physician to long distance runner Jim Ryun, will give a special film presentation on Ryun during a Cabrillo Key Club meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. at the Cabrillo High School Little Theater. Admittance fee will be 50 cents for adults, 25 cents for students.

THE UNITED Fund was approximately \$800 richer today as the result of the benefit air rides at three cents per pound. A total of 27,000 pounds were flown. Pilots participating were Joe Sesto, Chet Waite, Ted Hufmeister, Joe Herron, H.W. Icuhn, Gary Jaeger, Jay Totten, Larry Lang and

Ed Dibs. Joe Cox, Eldon Cooper and Lee Miller staged an air show in their homebuilt aircraft. Youngest passenger was 10 months old and oldest was 70. A static display of aircraft was provided by the Lompoc Chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association.

DEBORAH Mears, 20, of 4179 Constellation Rd., Vandenberg Village, suffered undisclosed injuries Saturday when her car drifted off Highway 101 and overturned after hitting an embankment. The accident occurred at about 11:30 p.m. on Highway 101, 2 1/2 miles south of Santa Rosa Road.

THE REGULAR meeting of the Westside 4-H Club will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at La Canada Elementary School. A representative of the Muscular Dystrophy

Association will speak.

PERSONS interested in organizing a class 10-year reunion for the Lompoc High School class of 1964 are being asked to call Richard Langley, 736-2134, or Bill Thompson, 736-5419.

THE LOMPOC Foster Parents Association will meet Tuesday at noon in the Lompoc Library multi-purpose room.

A CHRISTMAS session of Play School will be offered by the Lompoc Recreation Department. This class is planned with the shopper in mind and will meet three days a week for four and five year olds and two days for three year olds. Classes will meet from 10 to noon and continue for three weeks beginning Nov. 26. Register at the Recreation Department, 105 South C or call 736-6515 for further information.

Obituary

Myrtle Lewellyn

Funeral services are pending at the McPeck Family Mortuary for Myrtle E. Lewellyn, 70, who died this morning while visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Beattie of Douglas Avenue, Lompoc.

Mrs. Lewellyn is also survived by another daughter, Mrs. Nadine P. Bean, of Santa Barbara.

Further details will appear in the Record.

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| D W G Corp    | 3       | Teleprompter       | 5 1/4          |
| Eastman Kodak | 126 3/4 | Teledyne           | 12 1/2         |
| Exxon         | 92 1/2  | Telex              | 5 1/4          |
| Fleetwood     | 7 3/4   | Texaco             | 31             |
| Ford Mtr      | 46 1/4  | Times Mirror       | 21 1/4         |
| Fuqua Ind     | 11      | TransAmerica       | 10 1/4         |
| GAC Corp      | 3 1/4   | Union Oil          | 47 1/2         |
| Gen Dynam     | 27 1/4  | US Steel           | 34 1/2         |
| Gen Elec      | 65 1/4  | Westinghouse       | 31             |
| Gen Mtrs      | 58 1/4  | Zapata Corp        | 28 1/4         |
| Gen Tel       | 27 1/4  | 30 Indust          | 89.65 dn 10.76 |
| Impri Corp    | 9 1/2   | 20 Trans           | 181.37 dn 4.02 |
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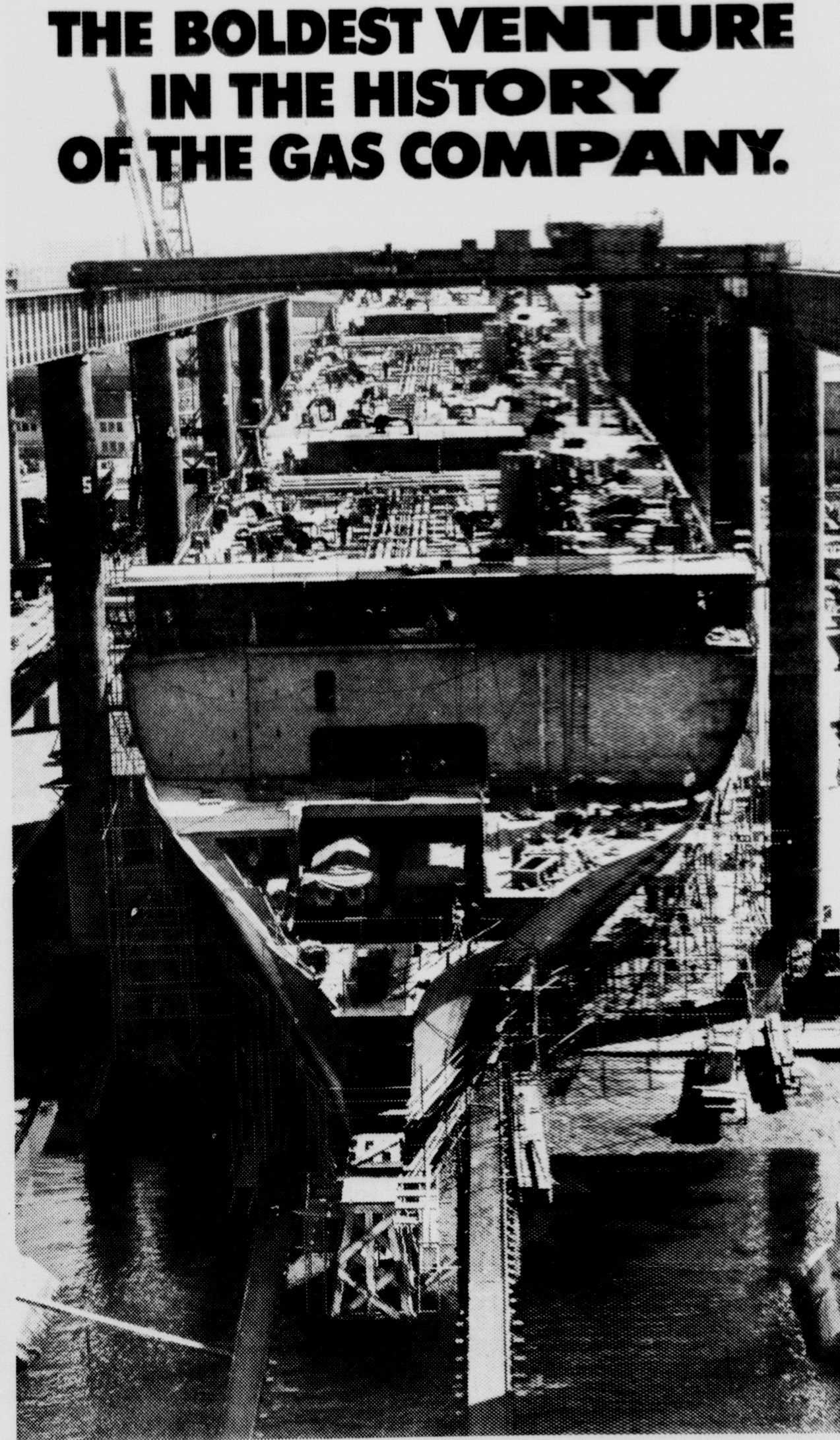
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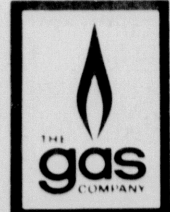
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# Changes in state colleges

SACRAMENTO (UPI) — An important legislative committee has called for several significant changes in the way California runs its colleges and universities, ranging from increased recruitment of minorities to changes in the terms of university regents.

The recommendations are included in the final report of the Joint Committee on the Master Plan for Higher Education, which proposes educational changes to the legislature.

One of the more controversial proposals would more than triple the number of students accepted on University of California and state university campuses without meeting the regular academic requirements.

The purpose of the change would be to attract more promising low income or minority students, and to learn how relevant the academic requirements are.

At present both UC and the state universities allow about 4 per cent of their students to waive regular requirements. The legislative committee wants that increased to 12 1/2 per cent.

Another recommendation is to equalize the terms of all state college and university trustees at 8 years.

Currently, UC regents serve 16 years, California State University and College trustees for eight years and California Community Colleges trustees for four years.

The greatest opposition to this recommendation has

come from UC officials, who contend shortening regents' terms would open up the system to political meddling. At present, they say, the length of the terms prevents any one governor, or other politicians, from gaining undue control over the regents.

Another proposal by the committee is to expand the existing state financial aid programs which allow students to use aid to attend private institutions.

Generally, the committee's recommendations — if approved by the legislature — would greatly revise, if not replace, the state Master Plan for Higher Education developed in 1960.

The committee earlier released a preliminary report to the legislature last February. One of its recommendations already has been signed into law. It replaced the Coordinating Council for Higher Education with a Postsecondary Education Commission.

The new commission will have the power to develop and enforce long-range plans for California higher education.

In its final report, the committee also recommended: —That the "master plan" approach be replaced by continuous planning with, at most, five-year plans.

—UC, the state universities and community colleges shall strike to approximately by 1980 the general ethnic, sexual and economic composition of the recent high school graduates.

## County clerk praises precinct officers

County Clerk Designate Howard C. Menzel has lauded the county's voting precinct officers for "doing a fine job" in the Nov. 6 election.

He said he checked a number of precinct operations and was "pleased with the efficient operation and courteous service provided," by a working force which put in a 21-hour day in some areas.

Menzel pointed out some precinct workers not only had a 13-hour voting period to face, but also worked on until 3:30 a.m. the next morning to finish the vote tallies by hand.

"Despite the Secretary of State's forecast of long lines of voters and the comparatively heavy 50 percent turnout at the polls, my office received no complaints from the public," declared Menzel.

The workload of precinct officers at the Nov. 6 election was heavier, due to extensive consolidation of precincts, Menzel showed. He lauded the election workers as having worked well in space of the added duties and for having "saved county taxpayers many thousands of dollars."



"Very funny, but you're forgetting . . . You have insurance and it may very well be over your dead body."

## Life may exist on planet Jupiter

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (UPI) — New support for a theory that life may exist on the giant planet Jupiter was announced Sunday by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

NASA is interested in the new discovery because its Pioneer 10 spacecraft will make man's first close encounter with Jupiter—which is 11 times the diameter of Earth—on Dec. 3.

Pioneer will be 81,000 miles from Jupiter and is not intended to determine the existence of Jovian life, but its mission includes gathering much information relating to the question.

The new support for the

theory of the existence of life on Jupiter consisted of the discovery of rod-shaped bacteria in an isolated alkaline spring in Northern California by two NASA biologists, Paul Deal and Kenneth A. Souza of the Ames Research Center.

They immersed the bacteria in a sodium hydroxide solution 10 times more alkaline than the level thought possible for living organisms. Sodium hydroxide is the main constituent of lye, but the bacteria continued swimming, growing and reproducing.

Until now the main argument against the possibility of life on Jupiter

has been its extreme alkalinity. But the bacteria, it is theorized, could exist in less alkaline zones of the Jovian atmosphere.

Jupiter's atmosphere is thought to be composed of ammonia, methane, hydrogen and water—a similar mix thought to have existed on primitive Earth when life is believed to have begun by chemical evolution.

Since life apparently existed on Earth in those early years, some scientists think it could also be present on Jupiter.

## Nuclear plant—

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But to reliably meet the area's power hunger, Perry asserted, it is necessary to provide a greater capacity than actually demanded. Otherwise, he indicated, a dry year in the Pacific Northwest, which would limit the wattage of hydroelectric power which could be shunted to California, and perhaps one or two unexpected breakdowns, could set up outages.

The Federal Power Commission recommends a 20 per cent reserve capacity, Perry said. Without Diablo, PG&E's system reserves would drop to 13.5, 9.5 and 3.7 per cent in 1975, 1976 and 1977, he predicted.

The planning lead time for electrical generating units has lengthened from a previous five years to 10 years, Perry added. The Diablo Canyon plant, which will finally require an estimated 60 licenses before going on the line in 1975 (Unit I, 1,060 million watts) and 1976 (Unit II, 1,156 million watts) is an ideal example.

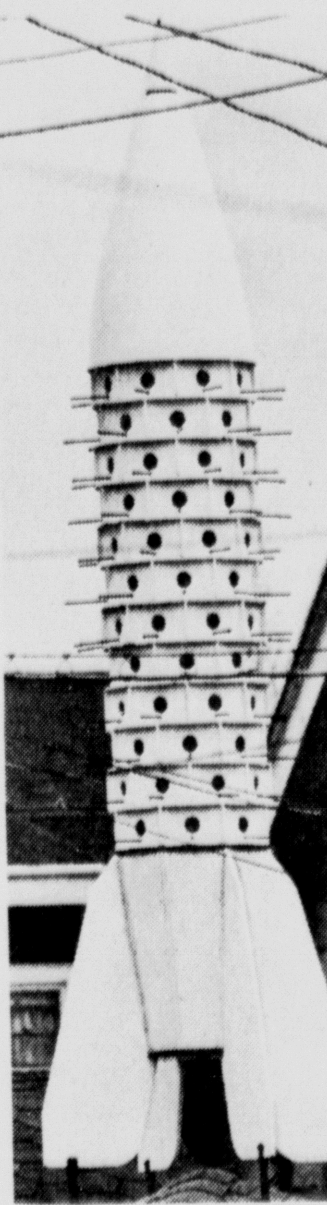
The nuclear facility was initially planned to phase in in 1972 (Unit I) and 1974 (Unit II).

"The only nuclear plant we could have on the line in the next 10 years would be Diablo," relates Dick Davin, utility nuclear information specialist from the San Francisco head offices.

In light of the current reduction in fuel oil sources, Diablo takes on another significance in the power picture. Because the supply of natural gas has flagged seriously, the utility has embarked on a \$100 million program to convert its majority of natural gas burning generating plants over to oil.

Diablo's operation then, will decrease an already critically high demand for a scarce resource.

With the nuclear plant operating on schedule in 1976, Perry forecasted, PG&E's total annual fuel oil requirement would be 35 million barrels, of which over 12 million have not been contracted for. But without the scheduled coming on the line of the nuclear units, Perry said, the utility's oil demand in 1976 would increase by some 19 million barrels.



THIS HIGH RISE is no bomb deal for the birds that nest atop Richard Buttke's garage in Milwaukee, Wis.

## Commission favors implied dedication

The County Park Commission has voted encouragement of a new county policy by which the county could get public access to beach property through implied dedication.

Mike Freed, who is helping to implement the policy as an extra help employee of the Park Department, told the commission that of 83 miles of sandy, swimming beaches in the county, 70 miles of them are closed to the public.

Santa Barbara County has been the most lax in the state, it appears, in utilizing implied dedication as a result of a State Supreme Court decision in 1970 in a Santa Cruz case which applied the common law doctrine of implied dedication to shoreline property, he said.

No cases of implied dedication have been filed by the county as yet, the commission was told.

## Committee claims criminal conflict of interest in SBA

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A House investigation of alleged criminal conflict of interest in the Small Business Administration (SBA) could cause curtailment of new agency loans and "serious economic injury" to its clients, say officials.

The House Small Business subcommittee said Sunday that "serious problems" possibly leading to criminal prosecution have been discovered in some SBA district offices.

As a result, the panel announced it would ask the full House Banking Committee to hold up legislation that would increase the SBA's loan authority, thus jeopardizing new loans.

The subcommittee was not specific, but a source said the probe involved conflict of

interest in the Richmond, Va., district office and a few other SBA offices. "Quite a few people are going to go to jail," the source said.

He said SBA officials apparently have systematically authorized millions of dollars in loans to companies in which they hold an interest.

"We are very anxious to testify before the committee and clear up this issue," said Randall L. Woods, SBA assistant administrator for congressional and public affairs.

He asked the House to act quickly on the bill raising the agency's loan authority ceiling from \$4.3 billion to \$6.6 billion in order to "avert serious economic injury to the nation's small businesses."

## County planners agenda

Problems related to the proliferation of mobile homes and trailers in Tepusquet Canyon will be taken up again by the County Planning Commission at its meeting Wednesday in Santa Barbara.

The scenic area is being plagued by the setting up of these residential units, many of them in violation of county zoning laws, area residents have complained.

Other matters to come before the commission:

- Request of Vandenberg Village Development Co. for approval of a final development plan for nine dwelling units in a design-residential district on the west side of Clubhouse Rd. at Oakwood Rd. intersection, Vandenberg Village.
- Request of Board of Supervisors to

consider amendment to prior action of commission approving lower densities in student residential housing districts in Isla Vista.

— Continuation of public hearings on general plan-zoning consistency for Carpinteria-Summerland area, Goleta Valley, Santa Ynez Valley, Lompoc Valley, and Santa Maria-Orcutt, Cuyama and Los Alamos areas.

— Consideration of Goleta Valley General Plan circulation plan amendment deleting a bridge on Covington Way over San Pedro Creek between Valdez Ave. and Carlo Dr.

— Public hearing on request of Union Oil Co. of California for sign variances at 42 N. Fairview Ave., Goleta Valley.

## Impact report continued

An environmental impact report on behalf of Atlantic & Pacific Building Corporation's proposal to set up a 36-unit residential tract in the Orcutt area has been continued for three weeks by the County's

OBLIGING THUG COVENTRY, England (UPI) — A car thief ended a police search Sunday for a car used as a getaway in an armed holdup.

Not only was he driving the one car every policeman in town was looking for but he also collided with a parked vehicle and demolished the wall of a house.

"It was certainly one of the luckiest breaks I've come across," said a senior police officer.

Technical Review Staff.

The staff action thus puts the report before the county's new Office of Environmental Quality which is taking over the function of the review staff as well as that of the Environmental Quality Advisory Agency (EQAA) composed of county supervisors.

The applicant had submitted an environmental impact seen by the project on a 72 acre parcel on the east side of Blosser Rd., south of Foster Rd.

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# If your lights go out, will you know what to do?

If the lights go out in your house, these tips may help you avoid the inconvenience of waiting for a serviceman to arrive.

### KNOW THE LOCATION OF YOUR FUSE BOXES

Power failures can happen in your home or in the whole neighborhood. If you're not sure which it is, check with your neighbors.

If the power is off in your home only, it's probably a blown fuse or a tripped circuit breaker. Be sure to know where the fuse boxes or circuit breakers are before you really need them, and have spare fuses on hand.

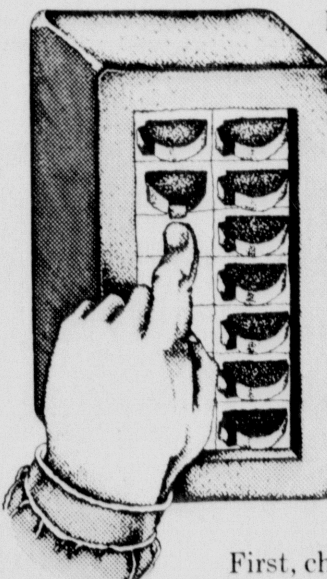
Check the old fuse closely. However, make sure the main power switch (if that main fuse box has one) is turned "off" while you replace the fuse, then turned "on" again. A blown plug-type fuse has a smoked-up window. If it's a cartridge type fuse, test by replacing it with a new fuse.

Be sure to replace a blown fuse with one of the same amperage — no more and no less — and never use a penny or any other metal object to "jump" the fuse (this could cause a fire).

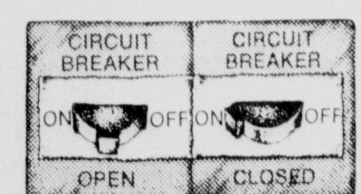
If the problem isn't with the fuses or circuit breakers at this main box, follow the same procedure to check the fuses or breakers inside the house. This secondary box is usually located in a closet or utility room. Again, make sure the switch, if you have one, is turned "off" while you replace the fuse, and then turned "on" again.

**HOW TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE**  
If replacement of a fuse or re-closing of a breaker fails to restore service, you may have too many appliances or lamps on one circuit. Also, one of your lamps, appliances or extension cords could be defective causing a short circuit. Unplug all the electrical appliances or lamps from the circuit, check for damaged or scorched cords or loose plugs, and when you locate the problem, have the faulty appliance repaired before using it again.

If you've followed all the procedures and you're still in the dark, don't hesitate to call PG&E, any hour of the day or night. We'll be happy to help.



### HOW TO DEAL WITH FUSES AND CIRCUIT BREAKERS



When a fuse blows or a circuit breaker trips open, think of it as a warning. Something's wrong with your wiring, or the way you're using your appliances.

First, check your fuse or circuit breaker box which is near the location where PG&E electric service wires connect to your house. If you have circuit breakers instead of or in addition to fuses, one of them may have tripped open. To reset an open circuit breaker, move the switch all the way to the "off" position. Then reset to the "on" position.



## Tepee comes down

An Indian-type tepee which has served as a living quarters on the ocean bluffs at Isla Vista for several months has been taken down.

Neighbors of the tepee in the 6500 block of Del Playa complained their view of the ocean was blocked by the conical structure, said to have been the residence of a young woman.

Complaints to the County Planning Department's zoning investigator were relayed to Isla Vista planning commissioner's office on the grounds that a zoning violation appeared to have occurred. Isla Vista planners' pressure evidently resulted in the

tepee coming down, county officials said.

County planning officials informally have said they believe tepees, while banned for living purposes, may be acceptable as meditation centers. The county counsel's office is being asked to prepare an opinion on this matter.

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**MOST UNUSUAL** is the handmade bandana scarf quilt to be auctioned at the bazaar-auction sponsored by Alpha Zeta Chapter Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority Wednesday, Nov. 28. Displaying this and some of the items to be offered for sale are from left: Mrs. William Graham, project chairman; Thelma Marshall and Mrs. William Kirchhoff, chapter president. The bazaar will open at 6:30 o'clock at the Tahitian Village Recreation Center. The auction will start at 8 p.m. The public is invited. Three types of items will be available: bazaar, white elephant and auction. Many gift items have been donated by local stores and sorority members have made many things. The free door prize will be a topiary tree and free refreshments will be served. Proceeds will go toward scholarships for Lompoc and Cabrillo High School students.



## Dear Abby

**Mom's double-trouble—pregnant, unwed teens**

**DEAR ABBY:** I have two daughters who are pregnant and not married. One is 15, and the other is 18. The 15-year-old is just entering 10th grade, and I don't want her to marry so young. I think she should finish high school first. The boy is 18, and plans on going to college. I spoke with his mother, and she said after the baby comes, if it looks like her son, MAYBE he will marry my daughter.

The 18-year-old is expecting first. Her boy friend said he didn't have any plans for marriage right now because he has five more car payments to make, but when he is free and clear he will pay something toward the baby's support. Meanwhile, he hardly ever comes around anymore, but he's been seen out with other girls. My daughter is so dumb, she thinks he will marry her when he's out of debt.

Now that you have the facts, here is my question: Do you think I should give my daughters baby showers?

**UNDECIDED**

**DEAR UNDECIDED:** It isn't proper for a close member of the family to give showers. They are usually given by friends.

**DEAR ABBY:** My mother was a young widow with three children when she remarried. Abby, not all men can accept stepchildren as their own. My stepfather has been good to me (the only girl) but he's been awfully hard on the boys. One ran away years ago, but the other is sticking it out until he finishes school. Mom and I have always tried to give the boys lots of love to make up for the lack of fatherly love.

However, Mom is now destroying

the child she's trying to protect. He can't get up in the morning himself, so she wakes him four or five times and has breakfast waiting for him. She drives him to and from work, otherwise he'd be late. He's refinanced when he overspends, and Mom runs all his errands — the latest being payment of a traffic ticket. (He didn't even say "thank you.")

I am seven years older than this brother, self-supporting, and live in the same town. I would like to see the kid allowed to mature. I know he would, if Mom would only let him. Watching her wait on him constantly infuriates my stepfather. If I say anything to Mom, she says I'm jealous. I don't think I am. I am only concerned because the boy will be 20 next month and he's incredibly immature and irresponsible. I'd do anything to get my mother off his neck. Should I talk to a friend she respects? We have no clergyman.

**BIBSISTER**

**DEAR SIS:** Yes! If the friend makes as much sense as you do.

**CONFIDENTIAL (AND MANY THANKS)** to all who wrote to inform me that the poem I was trying to track down is: "Which the Chicken, Which the Egg." And it goes like this:

"He drinks because she scolds, he thinks,

She thinks she scolds because he drinks,

And neither will admit what's true,

That he's a sot and she's a shrew."

(Ogden Nash)

And the first person to get the facts to me was Carol Ritter, the gracious, wide-awake librarian of the Woonsocket, S.D., Public Library. (Woonsocket's population is 835!)

## Presbyterian Women elect new officers

Carol (Mrs. William) Risch is the newly elected coordinator for United Presbyterian Women. Balloting took place at the November luncheon meeting in Westmont Hall of First Presbyterian Church. Others chosen as officers are: Cathy (Mrs. Gene) Gumplo, vice president; Sandy (Mrs. Nathaniel) Skinner, second vice president; Beverly (Mrs. Richard) Wise, secretary-treasurer; Anna (Mrs. Donald) Kane was named sewing chairman.

Circle chairmen for the coming year are: Irma (Mrs. F. E.) Henderson, Dorothy (Mrs. Eugene)

McAllister, Eva Jane (Mrs. Kenneth) Boyd, Delores (Mrs. Charles) McElmurry and Mary (Mrs. Carl) Williams.

Hosting the luncheon were members of Dorcas Circle. Proceeds went to the drapery fund. The program included reports of Beverly Wise on her weekend synodical retreat at Pacific Palisades and that of the Santa Barbara Presbyterian meeting attended by Mrs. Wise, Diane Aldridge and Marcia Wicks.

Plans were made for the officer installation at a Christmas party the evening of Dec. 5. Refreshments will follow the induction ceremony.

## Rainbow Girls add four to membership

Recently initiated into the International Order of Rainbow for Girls, Lompoc Assembly 106 were four local girls: Janice Jennings, Tami Phillips, Karen Duggan and Brenda Ellingwood. Performing the initiation ceremony were line officers: Gina Jennings, worthy advisor; Merri Derrington, worthy associate advisor; Janet Harris, Charity; Becky McSwain, Hope; Kathy Brown, Faith. Bow officers were: Karen Jones, Love; Debbie Trajo, Religion; Nat Linn, Nature; Sonja Kovak, Immortality; Kim Slavens, Fidelity; Denise Eager, Patriotism; Rebee Phillips, Service.

Recent activities of the assembly have included a workshop to make cancer dressings, a secret trip to Busch Gardens, and a fund-raising enchilada sale which proved most profitable.

## Artists announce trip postponement

Tuesday, Nov. 20 is the new date set by the Lompoc Valley Art Association to visit the San Luis Obispo Art and Craft Show of '73.

Interested people are invited to meet 9:30 a.m. at the Vandenberg Village Safeway parking lot where share-the-ride transportation will be arranged.

# University Women keep involved

The Lompoc-Vandenberg Branch of the American Association of University Women announces its schedule of study-action group meetings for November. Members of the public, both men and women, not eligible for membership in AAUW are invited to attend. Those interested in attending are asked to call the person listed with each meeting.

**Woman: Searching for Self** will discuss transactional analysis. Reading may include "Born to Win," by Dr. Muriel James and Dorothy Jongeward, "I'm Okay, You're Okay," by Dr. Thomas A. Harris, and "Games People Play," by Dr. Eric Berne. An afternoon meeting will be held this Thursday, Nov. 15, at 1:30 p.m. with Sue Zglicynski leading the discussion. An evening meeting will be held this Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. with Gloria Hustein leading the discussion. Both meetings will be held at the home of Phyllis White, 4050 Stardust, Vandenberg Village, 3-2284.

**Dynamic Learning: Releasing Human Potential** will discuss the planning for a cancer information program and the possibility of having a Career Day for local high school girls in their junior year. The meeting will be this Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Fran Dyste, 140 Hercules, Vandenberg Village, 3-4120.

**Media: Issues in Communication and the Literature** group will hold a joint meeting for a general discussion of literature concerning media. The meeting will be held Tuesday, November 20, at 9:30 a.m., in the home of Janet Key, 1113 Catalpa, VAFB. To be called are chairmen Grace Bell, 6-2676 or Nancy Vinkels, 4-2304.

At a recent meeting of the Lompoc-Vandenberg Branch of the American Association of University Women, Gary Hart, a member of the Coastal Planning Commission for the tri-counties region, discussed the workings of the Commission which was established to assure that the coastline would be open to the public.

Between last November, when Proposition 20 was passed, and February 1, 1973 (date Commission was activated), Mr. Hart stated that there was much development of coastal properties. In general, property values of developed properties have risen over the year, while values of undeveloped properties have decreased generally. Mr. Hart stated that while

many supporters of Proposition 20 expected it to solve all coastal problems this is not so.

The regional Commission has been very busy having reviewed over 800 permits thus far, of which 580 were granted and 20 denied. This regional commission has authority over property within 1,000 yards of the mean high tide along 200 miles of the California coastline. Permits must be approved by local authorities before being submitted to the Coastline Commission.

With the number of permit requests, the local commission has had difficulty devoting enough time to the planning aspect of its duties. It has a mandate to compile a Coastal Plan covering various elements such as marine resources, land use, recreation, etc., which is to be submitted to the legislature by 1976. The tri-counties regional Commission is working on the Marine Resources Element of the plan, working with a professional staff providing expert information.

Mr. Hart stated that he felt the success of the local commission was due to citizen pressure, especially in the Santa Barbara and Morro Bay areas. He feels that it would be beneficial for the positions on the Commission to be full-time. He feels that the Commission is being fair to property owners and is trying to set-up criteria for accepting or rejecting permit requests equitably.

During the questioning period, Hart stated that the Commission can overturn the ruling of a local governmental body which covers property within its jurisdiction until 1976, at which time the legislature will receive the coastal plan and will decide if the regional and state commissions will continue. Asked about policing power, he stated that violations are turned over to the Attorney General. Questioned about handling of permits, he explained that non-controversial permit requests are placed on a consent agenda at each meeting and that other requests are handled through public hearings. Only three of the 12 members of the regional commission need request that a permit be removed from the consent agenda for it to be considered separately.

When asked about possible development on our own area, Hart said that just recently information had been received from Bixby Ranch concerning the development of a new town but that no actual permit requests had been received as yet.

## Junior Alphas continue their active schedule

A highlight of the November meeting was the installation of Sherri (Mrs. Gary) Stendahl as a new member of Jr. Alpha Club. Even prior to her membership, she has been active and interested in the club program. Conducting her welcoming ceremony was Ms. Sylvia Franz, membership chairman.

Juniors are now preparing for the annual Christmas party which they share with members of Alpha Club. Each year an evening is set aside for a special fellowship at which escorts are invited. "Christmas Togetherness" is this year's theme and the party date has been set as December 5.

Almost completed is the Juniors work of distributing Red Ball safety stickers at homes in Vandenberg Village. It is the area they agreed to cover in cooperation with the local Jaycees and Fire Department. Protection of children and shut-ins is the campaign goal. Householders are asked to place the stickers in bedrooms occupied by those who might need special help in case of a

fire or other disaster. The symbols would enable firemen to locate and rescue them more quickly.

Members voted to support Thanksgiving Week as National Family Week and to participate in Christmas International House. The latter is a program asking persons to invite college students from foreign lands into their homes for the holiday season. Often they have nowhere to go during school vacations.

Juniors next meeting will be held January 9 in the home of Julie (Mrs. George) Waudby, 301 South Second St.

## Cabrillo Boosters slate two events

Films of the Lompoc-Cabrillo High School football game will be shown by Coach Evert Jones at the Nov. 20 meeting of Cabrillo High School Boosters Club. Called for 7:30 p.m., the meeting will be held in the school band room. All parents are invited.

A fund-raising project is planned

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for this Saturday, Nov. 17. It is an all-day garage sale at the home of Al Wardrip, Booster Club president, 287 Regulus Ave., Vandenberg Village. Donations are requested and patronage solicited. Articles may be brought to the Wardrip home throughout this week or pick-up arranged by calling 733-3388.



**BOOKWORM** Penny Hennessy, district elementary school librarian, visits Hapgood School this week to encourage pupils continuing interest in reading good literature. Occasion is National Book Week Nov. 12-16

which will be observed at Hapgood at an open house. Assembled for a story reading session are from left: Danny Aldrich and Todd Ninnemann, 8; Susan Huseman, 9; Sarah Huseman, 7; Tanya Ninnemann, 10.



# Workers rush to get Skylab launch ready

CAPE CANAVERAL (UPI) — Launch-pad workers were on a tight schedule today to strap the last of eight replacement tail fins onto the Skylab 3 launch rocket and get the delayed space station mission under way Thursday.

Skylab program manager William C. Schneider said the first four new fins were bolted to the base of the Saturn 1B booster Sunday and the other four would be in place by Monday night, clearing the way for launch at 9:37 a.m. EST Thursday.

Officials planned to start the countdown clock moving at 2:30 a.m. EST Tuesday. Astronauts Gerald P. Carr, Edward G. Gibson and William R. Pogue were "well-trained and eager" to start the record-breaking orbital research trip of at least 60 days. If all has gone well for the crew after eight weeks, they could get approval to stay 85 days.

"We have a tight schedule ... but we fully expect to be able to do it," Schneider said in a briefing. "The

crew is ready, eager and well-trained."

The trio of rookie astronauts, making the last planned voyage to the three-bedroom flying space house, were to fly their personal T38 jets from the Johnson Space Center to the Florida Spaceport at midday Tuesday.

Replacement of the 30-squarefoot tail fins, delaying the launch five days, was necessitated by 14 little cracks, 1-1/2 inches long by 1/2 inch deep, found in the brackets that attach the fins to the body of the rocket.

Schneider said if any problems developed in getting the last fins into place, the crew would be fired 270 miles into orbit on Friday.

He said winds blustering across the oceanside launch pad at 25-30 m.p.h. over the weekend had been "an inconvenience" but had not held up the 30-man crew working on the 24-story-tall rocket.

## Nation's weather

United Press International

A low pressure area and a cold front moving through the Pacific Northwest early today spread rain from western Montana to central California while most of the nation was enjoying fair weather.

The rain was expected to turn to snow in the mountains of northeastern California, and snow and travelers advisories were issued for the area.

Gusty winds were reported along the Pacific Coast and gale warnings were in effect for the coastal areas of northern California and Washington.

The eastern half of the nation had fair weather but below normal temperatures.

# 'Hee Haw' comedian shot to death

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (UPI) — The lanky "Stringbean" of the Grand Ole Opry and "Hee Haw," David Akeman, and his wife were shot to death early Sunday when they returned from a performance and apparently surprised burglars at their isolated farm home.

The bodies of Akeman, 58, and his wife, Estelle, 60, were found by another Opry star, Louis "Grandpa" Jones, who arrived just after dawn to pick them up for a fishing trip.

Akeman was sprawled on the living room floor, his wife lay in weeds about 20 yards from the red frame house that sits on a 300-acre lot at the end of a country road.

They apparently had been shot to death by burglars, police said.

"From all indications, he came home and surprised them in the act and was shot," said Detective Lt. Tom Cathey. Akeman had been shot once. Mrs. Akeman, who apparently was in the car when her husband entered the home and fled when she heard the shot, was felled by three shots.

"We believe he had several thousand dollars on him," the detective said. "The house had been ransacked and they apparently were looking for money which Mr. Akeman, 'Stringbean,' was thought to have been carrying."

Cathey would not say what the thief or thieves made off with, but what they did not get was a priceless banjo willed to Akeman by the legendary Uncle Dave Macon. The five-string instrument was found sitting on the porch of the farm house.

# Many still celebrate Armistice Day in November

United Press International

Despite what they decided down in Washington, D.C., about Oct. 22 being Armistice Day, the folks in Albany, Ore., are going to do it right.

The Oregon Legislature decided this year that the best date to remember Nov. 11, 1918, the day World War I ended, would be Nov. 11, or as close to it as they could get, so all state offices, public schools and liquor stores will be closed today. A parade in Albany will feature 150 winners of the Congressional Medal of Honor, Bob Hope and Gen. Omar Bradley, the nation's only five-star general.

Other states that honor Armistice Day on Nov. 11 are Mississippi, Wisconsin, and Louisiana, where the town of Mamou, population 1,000, has a sort of Hooray-for-Fall celebration, with rides, drinks and music.

Congress decided that Veterans Day would be the fourth Monday of October, which fell on the 22nd this year, as part of a general rejigging of holidays designed to spread them out more evenly during the year and also to make for more three-day weekends.

In Roswell, N.M., Saturday, there was a military parade sponsored by the Marine Corps, and there's a one-hour observance in Silver City, N.M.



## Furnaces are in the



## Getty's mother gets ear

ROME (UPI) — The mother of oil billionaire J. Paul Getty's missing grandson was reported today to be almost sure a human ear mailed to a Roman newspaper was her son's.

Giovanni Iacovoni, Mrs. Gail Getty's lawyer, said she was "85 to 90 per cent certain" the ear was her son's. Police sources said Mrs. Getty also positively identified an accompanying lock of hair as his.

"I am very shaken and convinced these persons are absolutely not joking," Iacovoni told newsmen.

The Rome newspaper Messaggero said it received a package Saturday containing the right ear, a lock of reddish-brown hair and a ransom note. The note, signed the "kidnapers of J. Paul Getty III," said the youth's other ear would be cut off if the Getty family

fails to pay a \$5.1 million ransom within 10 days.

Iacovoni said neither Mrs. Getty nor her former husband, J. Paul Getty Jr., could afford to pay the ransom because the youth's grandfather had refused to help out.

Authorities said they were trying to determine the identity of the ear and had called in Interpol.

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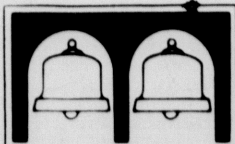
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# Vikings take lead in NFL playoff derby

United Press International  
The great National Football League December playoff extravaganza seems to have its first three entries.  
The unbeaten Minnesota Vikings nailed down at least a tie for the National Conference Central Division title Sunday by beating the Detroit Lions for the 12th straight time, 28-7, while Miami and Pittsburgh all but clinched American Conference titles.  
Miami, now 7-1, opened up a three-game bulge on Buffalo in the AFC East by shutting out Baltimore for the fourth straight time, 44-0, while Pittsburgh's defense outmuscled Oakland, 19-7, to keep the Steelers 2½-game edge over Cleveland in the AFC Central.

It would take almost complete reversals in form for the Dolphins and Steelers to lose their titles now.  
Minnesota, with old-timers Bill Brown and Dave Osborne carrying the running attack, erupted for two touchdowns in the third period to break open its game against Detroit.

The Vikings spotted Detroit a touchdown on a 33-yard pass from Bill Munson to Ron Jessie before Brown, who gained 80 of his 102 yards in the first half, plunged over from the one to tie the game.  
Wally Hilgenberg ran two yards with a blocked punt in

the second period to give Minnesota a 14-7 lead and the Vikings put away their ninth victory in the third period as Ed Marinaro ran seven yards for one score and Fran Tarkenton threw 31 yards to John Gilliam for another.

Munson shook his head in disbelief. "I don't know when those guys are going to get old," he said.  
Miami, with Mercury Morris scoring on runs of 48 and 53 yards and cornerback Tim Foley scoring his first pro TDs on blocked punts, humiliated Baltimore. The Dolphins ran up a 17-0 lead in the first period, boosted it to 27-0 at the half and didn't let up until the final gun.

"It wasn't a jinx that beat us out there today," said Baltimore Coach Howard Schnellenberger, an assistant at Miami last season. "We were badly outclassed by a fine Miami football team. They dominated every phase of the game."

The Steelers call their defense, "the Steel Curtain," and it slammed down on Oakland with a thud. Listed as six-point underdogs despite losing only one game, the Steelers dropped Oakland quarterbacks five times, intercepted four passes and forced two crucial intentional grounding penalties.  
Defensive end Dwight White's interception set up Terry Hanratty's 14-yard TD pass to Ron Shanklin and Mike Wagner's fumble recovery set the stage for Franco Harris oneyard TD run.

As it turned out, Harris, who made a spectacular catch and run with a deflected pass in the playoffs to beat Oakland with five seconds left, again was the Steeler hero since his TD provided the margin of victory. Daryle Lamonica passed 27 yards to Fred Biletnikoff in the final period for Oakland's lone TD.  
In other games, Washington ripped San Francisco, 33-9, Dallas downed the New York Giants, 23-10, Los Angeles clubbed New Orleans, 29-7, Atlanta beat Philadelphia, 44-27, Cincinnati edged Buffalo, 16-13, Cleveland topped Houston, 23-13, Denver downed San Diego, 30-19, Green Bay beat St. Louis, 25-22, and the New York Jets trounced New England, 33-13. Chicago is at Kansas city tonight.

Bill Kilmer threw two second half TD passes and Curt Knight kicked four field goals as the Redskins beat San Francisco. Kilmer passed 25 yards to Charlie Harraway and two to Mike Hancock and Brig Owens set up two field goals with an interception and a fumble recovery.

The Cowboys remained tied with Washington for first in the NFC East as Charlie Waters intercepted two passes and recovered a fumble to set up scores. Dallas capitalized on eight turnovers to hand New York its seventh straight loss, with Walt Garrison scoring twice.

John Hadl threw an 18-yard TD pass to Lawrence McCutcheon and David Ray kicked three field goals as the Rams rallied to beat New Orleans. The victory left Los Angeles a game ahead of Atlanta in the NFC West after the Falcons, under Bob Lee, erupted for 24 points in the final period to beat the Eagles for their fifth straight win.

Lee, unbeaten since taking over as Atlanta quarterback, threw a 12-yard TD pas to Ken Burrow and se up two other TDs.

Horst Muhlmann's 33-yard field goal with three seconds left lifted Cincinnati over Buffalo and Don Cockroft's three field goals and a short scoring plunge by Mike Phipps helped the Browns hand Houston its eighth loss in nine game.

Charley Johnson threw two second half TD passes and Floyd Little dove for another TD as the Broncos overcame San Diego and ruined Ron Waller's coaching debut. Jerry Tagge, in his first pro start at quarterback, ran for one score and set up four Chester Marcol field goals as the Packers snapped a four-game losing streak by beating St. Louis.

John Riggins and Emerson Boozer ran for first half scores and third-string quarterback Bill Demory threw 31 yards to Jerome Barkum for another TD to lead the Jets past New England.



A COUPLE OF THE HAZARDS of playing defense are illustrated by Lompoc cornerback Eric Grinstead in Friday night's game against Arroyo Grande. Here Grinstead fights off a block by Mike Rivera (sitting) and a stiffarm to the facemask by Jeff Hertler. Eric made the tackle.  
Photo by Mark Snyder

## Gilbert leads World Open

PINEHURST, N.C. (UPI) — If the World Open golf championship were a standard 72-hole tournament, Gibby Gilbert would be putting a cool \$100,000 in the bank today.  
But 72 holes is just the halfway

mark for the \$500,000 marathon event, richest in golf history.  
Today and Tuesday he will be trying to relax and polish his game at the Pinehurst Country Club, getting ready for the second 72 holes starting Wednesday.

## Local sports

### Hervey, Williams

#### win mat tourney

George Hervey and Benje Williams wrestled their way to weight-class championships in Saturday's AAU-sponsored wrestling tourney at Pacific High in Garden Grove. The three Cabrillo wrestlers were competing for the Lompoc-Vandenberg Wrestling Club.

Hervey, a sophomore, won the 98-pound title in a field of 27 wrestlers by winning six straight matches. Williams breezed through the 130-pound field with seven straight wins. Kris Andrews took a third place at 115 pounds.

The local high school season officially opens Thursday with the first practice. Youth wrestling signups will begin on Nov. 19 at 5:30 at both local high schools.

### Football contest

Even a perfect score didn't guarantee a winner in this week's Lompoc Record Football Contest. Four contestants went 12-for-12, but one finished out of the money on the tie-breaker.

Arlene Bowman of Lompoc got the win and \$25. Second place was a tie between Donald Reese of

Lompoc and Bob Kallenbaugh of Cal Poly Pomona.

### Local runner wins

#### x-country meet

Lompoc's Tom Parks took first place in the 12-and-under boys race at Saturday's AAU-sanctioned cross country meet at Crestview Park in Camarillo. Steve Braun and Jim Shanks took fourth and fifth places.

In the open division, Bill Gilstrap finished 17th in a field of 189 runners. Shelly Hamer took sixth in the girls 14-and-over race.

Ray Gil, 49 years old, took second in the 40-and-over seniors race, clocking 44:32 over the 7.3-mile course. Gil finished nine seconds back of 43-year-old Don Nickolous.

### Youth x-country

The Lompoc Youth Cross Country League runners took on the Vandenberg Junior High runners in a cross country meet over the weekend. The Youth league swept the 6th-7th grade race, with Robert Nunez, Steve Braun and Tom Parks going 1-2-3. Nunez set a course record of 5:24.6 (1 mile). In the 8th grade competition, Scott Coe won in course record time of 7:09.3 (1¼ miles), with Harold Davis second and Vandenberg's Terry Beaver third.

## Grid stats

### Lompoc 21, AG 0

| THE STATS |                 |        |
|-----------|-----------------|--------|
| LOMPOC    | FIRST DOWNS     | A.G.   |
| 10-0-1    | (rush-pass-pen) | 8-0-2  |
| 246       | YARDS RUSH      | 81     |
| 13        | YARDS PASS      | 16     |
| 259       | TOTAL YARDS     | 97     |
| 1-3-0     | PASSES (c-a-i)  | 2-11-2 |
| 1-1       | FUMBLES-LOST    | 2-1    |
| 2-40      | PUNTS-AVE.      | 2-22   |
| 49        | OFFENSIVE PLAYS | 50     |
| 9-75      | PENALTIES-YDS.  | 4-30   |
| EAGLES    | 0 0 0 0-0       |        |
| LOMPOC    | 0 7 7 7-21      |        |

### Cabrillo 42, Righetti 14

| THE STATS |                 |       |
|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| CABRILLO  | RIGHETTI        |       |
| 13        | FIRST DOWNS     | 11    |
| 327       | YARDS RUSH      | 112   |
| 104       | YARDS PASS      | 20    |
| 431       | TOTAL YARDS     | 132   |
| 4-6-0     | PASSES (c-a-i)  | 2-8-0 |
| 3-1       | FUMBLES-LOST    | 1-0   |
| 1-32      | PUNTS-AVE.      | 6-25  |
| 44        | OFFENSIVE PLAYS | 60    |
| 6-45      | PENALTIES-YDS.  | 8-45  |
| CABRILLO  | 0 28 14 0-42    |       |
| RIGHETTI  | 7 0 0 7-14      |       |

### Saints 43, San Luis 28

| THE STATS |                |        |
|-----------|----------------|--------|
| SM        | SLO            |        |
| 18        | FIRST DOWNS    | 10     |
| 219       | YARDS RUSH     | 220    |
| 137       | YARDS PASS     | 27     |
| 356       | TOTAL YARDS    | 247    |
| 8-17-2    | PASSES (c-a-i) | 3-17-3 |
| 2-1       | FUMBLES-LOST   | 2-1    |
| 9-102     | PENALTIES-YDS. | 6-50   |
| TIGERS    | 14 14 0 0-28   |        |
| SAINTS    | 15 0 14 14-43  |        |

## Braves

By SCOTT OSTLER

"I was beginning to wonder if we'd ever get the football, except on a kickoff," said Lompoc coach Jim Spruill, looking back at Friday's Lompoc-Arroyo Grande game.

The Eagles took the opening kickoff and hoarded the football for a full 10 minutes before turning it over at the Lompoc four yard line 20 plays later.

Spruill's initial sentiment soon became the property of Eagle coach Tarvin Clark, whose team had extremely limited success outside of that game-opening drive.

The Braves won it, 21-0, to guarantee themselves a CIF playoff berth, IF they can get past Cabrillo next week.

That first Eagle drive scared the Braves into doing what the Lompoc coaches had been unable to make them do — respect the Eagles.

"Overall, we weren't really enthusiastic for the game," said Spruill. "When we were warming up, I was a little worried. Even though they (AG) lost to two good teams, they were losses, and there's no way we were as inspired as the week before (against Santa Maria)."  
But the Braves were inspired enough to hold the Eagles to 97 yards total offense, and only 33 net yards in the second half.

Lompoc halfback Tony Grossi and fullback Ken Love each outran the entire Arroyo Grande team. Grossi slithered for 102 yards in 13 carries and Love for 86 yards in 19.  
Grossi took care of all the Lompoc touchdowns, on pitchout runs of 2, 34, and 7 yards.

Even little-used halfback Harry Jacobs ran for 34 yards in five carries, a 6.8 average.

With Paul Lewis and Dale Skidmore alternating at quarterback, and with strong blocking help up front, the Lompoc offense has developed into a potentially dangerous unit.

But, for the second straight week, it was the defense that stole the show. The Eagles, shut off on the ground, also found the airwaves a tough place to make yards.

"We talked them out of throwing quite a bit," said Spruill. Which means that the AG receivers were well covered.

Braves cornerback LeRoy Grossini, for instance, caught more Arroyo passes than did Arroyo pass catchers. LeRoy picked off three passes, running them back for a total of nearly 80 yards. One of the interceptions and two of the runbacks, however, where nullified by Lompoc penalties.

On the final AG series of the game, Grossini intercepted a pass and ran it back 23 yards, but Lompoc had roughed the passer. So the Eagles passed again and LeRoy was there again, running this one back 35 yards, but the Braves clipped on the runback.

#### THE SCORES:

1. Lompoc TD, 1:24 left in 2nd quar. The drive: 26 yards in 7 plays. The score: 2-yard

# It's Cabrillo-Lompoc week; both tune up with NL wins

run by Grossi. The PAT: Dave Mangum kick good.  
2. Lompoc TD, 4:00 left. 3rd quar. The drive: 81 yards in 9 plays. The score: 34-yard

run by Grossi. The PAT: Mangum kick good.  
3. Lompoc TD, 7:56 left, 4th quar. The drive: 70 yards in 10 plays. The score: 7-yard run by Grossi. The PAT: Mangum kick good.

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# Sports News

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## Conqs

By STEVE LA RUE

The Cabrillo Conquistadores picked up a hefty momentum enroute to this week's clash with Lompoc by vivisectioning the Righetti Warriors 42-14 Friday night at Dave Boyd Field in Santa Maria.

It was a sovereign specific for the Conqs' late doldrums that almost cost them the 8-7 Arroyo Grande contest the week before. Quarterback Kevin Drake busted loose for 156 yards and four touchdowns on a mere eight carries which were still the equivalent of an encyclopedia of the fakes and feints of broken field running.

Drake, who averaged a whopping 19.2 yards per carry, logged rushes of 54, 36, and 48 yards into the endzone, plus a two-yard scoring buck. The longest of these came in the second frame with the Conqs enjoying a bare 8-7 advantage. The 6-3, 191-pound senior loped around the left side, stopped amidst a committee of tacklers at the line of scrimmage, then exploded through them near the middle hashmark and wound up sprinting against the grain into the endzone in the far right sideline corner.

Drake also arched a 60-yard touchdown pass, Cabrillo's first of the year, that nestled sweetly in the outstretched palms of flanker David Taylor, sprinting deer-like down the right sideline not more than three feet from the coverage.

Running back Bill Chapin covered 81 yards in seven carries, and fullback Tim Davis ate up 71 yards in nine chances.

"It's got to have an absolutely good effect on our team," Conq Head Coach Evert Jones confided yesterday as he and the Cabrillo staff poured over anti-Brave stratagems. "It was a fun night. It was a fun game. I was surprised we moved the ball that well... We really didn't have anybody who didn't look very good."  
But the game had begun with a

faint theme of catastrophe. After receiving the opening kick off, the Warriors with apparent ease, herded the ball 70 yards into the endzone in 14 plays.

Righetti then maintained possession with a sparkingly executed outside kick, but bogged down on an illegal procedure penalty, an injury to tailback Gary Bunk, and some sharp Conq tackles.

Cabrillo opened its offense with a Drake fumble that the quarterback himself fell on. But 11 and 14-yard bursts by Davis then helped set up the tall signal caller's two-yard scoring sneak.

Though Righetti was shifting unexpectedly to the I formation, the Gold defense found the handle after the first series and held the Warriors to a 112 yard rushing mark, compared to 327 for the Conqs.

Cabrillo defensively did, and will do without the services of veteran linebacker Bruce Probst, of whom all Jones would comment was that he "is no longer with the team."

#### THE SCORES:

1. Righetti TD, 4:37 left in 1st quar. The drive: 70 yards in 14 plays. The score: 3-yard plunge by tailback Gary Bunk. PAT: Mark San Diego kick good.  
2. Cabrillo TD, 9:49 left in 2nd quar. The drive: 85 yards in 13 plays. The score: 2-yard plunge by quarterback Kevin Drake. PAT: Tim Davis run.  
3. Cabrillo TD, 5:36 left in 2nd quar. The drive: 74 yards in 4 plays. The score: 54-yard keeper by Kevin Drake. PAT: Tim Davis run.  
4. Cabrillo TD, 2:08 left in 2nd quar. The drive: 60 yards in play. The score: 60-yard run from Drake to flanker David Taylor. PAT: pass attempt overthrown.  
5. Lompoc TD, 0:11 left in 2nd quar. The drive: 65 yards in 5 plays. The score: 36-yard keeper by Drake. PAT: Tim Goodman kick wide.  
6. Cabrillo TD, 10:53 left in 3rd quar. The drive: 60 yards in 4 plays. The score: 48-yard run by Kevin Drake. PAT: Tim Goodman kick good.  
7. Cabrillo TD, 4:08 left in 3rd quar. The drive: 80 yards in 6 plays. The score: 30-yard handoff run by Bill Chapin. PAT: Tim Goodman kick good.  
8. Righetti TD, 6:59 left in 4th quar. The drive: 64 yards in 16 plays. The score: 1-yard run by slotback Sam Garcia. PAT: Mark San Diego kick good.

## Saints win despite elusive Moore

The Santa Maria Saints came back from a 28-15 halftime deficit to down the San Luis Obispo Tigers 43-28 Friday night. The Saints (3-0-1) remained tied with the Lompoc Braves for the league title, and will play winless Righetti (0-4) in the

final league game next Friday.  
San Luis tailback Larry Moore rushed for 214 yards in 30 carries, bringing his league total to 675 yards in 130 carries. But Moore was held to short yardage in the second half as the Saints scored four TDs.



Scores

College Football Results  
By United Press International  
East

Albright 13 Leb Val 10  
Alfred 14 Hamilton 3  
Am Intl 28 Coast Guard 19  
Boston Coll. 25 W. Va. 13  
Bowdoin 28 Tufts 8  
Bowie St. 14 Cheyney St. 3  
Brown 17 Cornell 7  
C.W. Post 21 Gettysburg 6  
Conn. 19 Boston U. 10  
Dartmouth 24 Columbia 6  
Delaware 28 Maine 12  
Harvard 19 Princeton 14  
Hofstra 28 Kings Pt 0  
Kutztown 7 Mansfield 6  
Lafayette 21 Drexel 11  
Lehigh 42 Rochester 0  
Marshall 17 Toledo 14  
Miami-Fla. 19 Army 7  
N. Car. A&T 27 Del. St. 12  
Notre Dame 31 Pittsburgh 10  
Penn St. 35 No. Car. St. 29  
Syracuse 5 Holy Cross 3  
Villanova 42 W. Chester 14  
W. Va. St. 30 Salem-W. Va. 20  
Yale 24 Penn 21

**South**  
Albany St. 20 Savannah St. 11  
Alcorn A&M 44 Prairie View 0  
Auburn 31 Miss. St. 17  
Cent. Mich. 21 Eastern Ky. 7  
Citadel 26 Furman 21  
Clemson 37 No. Car. 29  
Colgate 49 Wm. & Mary 42  
Dayton 10 Louisville 9  
Florida 11 Georgia 10  
Georgia Tech 36 VMI 7  
Grambling 32 Norfolk St. 6  
Jackson St. 47 M. Brown 7  
Kentucky 27 Vanderbilt 17  
Kenyon 26 Centre 21  
Maryland 31 Virginia 0  
No. Car. 31 Presbyterian 12  
Salsbury St. 23 Towson St. 15  
Sou. Miss. 13 Memphis St. 10  
Tenn. St. 45 Central St. 7  
Tenn. Tech 31 A. Peay 12  
Tulane 17 Navy 15  
Virginia Tech 36 Fla. St. 13  
Va. Union 20 Livingstone 7  
Wake Forest 7 Duke 7  
Wofford 34 Albion 10

**Midwest**  
Akron 12 Western Ill. 7  
Ashland 29 Evansville 21  
Bowling Grn 31 Eastern Mich. 7  
Cameron 11 SW Okla. St. 7  
Ill. St. 21 Indiana St. 17  
Kansas 17 Colorado 15  
Miami-O 20 Kent St. 10  
Michigan 21 Illinois 6  
Minnesota 34 Purdue 7  
Nebraska 31 Iowa St. 20  
Northwestern 21 Indiana 7  
Ohio St. 35 Michigan St. 0  
Ohio U. 14 Cincinnati 8  
Oklahoma 31 Missouri 3  
South Dak. 38 Mankato St. 3  
Southern Ill. 37 Drake 20  
SW Kan. 31 Kan. Wesleyan 21  
Western Ky. 48 Butler 6  
Western Mich. 30 Ball St. 13  
Wisconsin 35 Iowa 7  
Yingertberg 35 Capital 7  
Yingert St. 12 Murray St. 8

**Southwest**  
Ab. Christian 46 S. Houston 23  
Arizona 47 Wyoming 0  
Ark. St. 30 Tex. Arlington 14  
Howard Payne 28 Texas A&I 0  
Langston 14 Texas Sou. 7  
La. Tech 17 Lamar 3  
Okla. St. 28 Kansas St. 9  
Rice 17 Arkansas 7  
SW Texas 28 Sul Ross 0  
Texas 42 Baylor 6  
Texas A&M 45 SMU 10  
Texas Luth 36 Millsap 6  
Texas Tech 24 TCU 10  
Utah 36 New Mexico 35  
Utah St. 40 N.M. St. 12

**West**  
Air Force 31 Rutgers 14  
Arizona 24 BYU 10  
Houston 28 Colo. St. 20  
Montana 10 Weber St. 0  
N. Dak. 41 Montana St. 30  
No. Colo. 24 So. Colo. 7  
Pacific 42 Fresno St. 0  
W. Colo. 34 Adams St. 6

THE STANDINGS  
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NFL

| American Conference |    |    |      |      | National Conference |    |    |      |       |
|---------------------|----|----|------|------|---------------------|----|----|------|-------|
| East                |    |    |      |      | East                |    |    |      |       |
| w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |      | w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |       |
| Miami               | 8  | 1  | 0    | .889 | Dallas              | 6  | 3  | 0    | .667  |
| Buffalo             | 5  | 4  | 0    | .556 | Washington          | 6  | 3  | 0    | .667  |
| NY Jets             | 3  | 6  | 0    | .333 | Philadelphia        | 3  | 5  | 1    | .389  |
| New England         | 2  | 7  | 0    | .222 | St. Louis           | 3  | 5  | 1    | .389  |
| Baltimore           | 2  | 7  | 0    | .222 | N.Y. Giants         | 1  | 7  | 1    | .167  |
| Central             |    |    |      |      | Central             |    |    |      |       |
| w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |      | w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |       |
| Pittsburgh          | 8  | 1  | 0    | .889 | Minnesota           | 9  | 0  | 0    | 1.000 |
| Cleveland           | 5  | 3  | 1    | .611 | Green Bay           | 3  | 4  | 2    | .444  |
| Cincinnati          | 5  | 4  | 0    | .556 | Detroit             | 3  | 5  | 1    | .389  |
| Houston             | 1  | 8  | 0    | .111 | Chicago             | 3  | 5  | 0    | .375  |
| West                |    |    |      |      | West                |    |    |      |       |
| w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |      | w.                  | l. | t. | pct. |       |
| Oakland             | 5  | 3  | 1    | .611 | Los Angeles         | 7  | 2  | 0    | .778  |
| Kansas City         | 4  | 3  | 1    | .563 | Atlanta             | 6  | 3  | 0    | .667  |
| Denver              | 4  | 3  | 2    | .556 | New Orleans         | 4  | 5  | 0    | .444  |
| San Diego           | 1  | 7  | 1    | .167 | San Francisco       | 3  | 6  | 0    | .333  |

Sunday's Results

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Atlanta 44 Philadelphia 27 | Dallas 23 NY Giants 10        |
| Cincinnati 16 Buffalo 13   | Detroit 28 Minnesota 7        |
| Cleveland 23 Houston 13    | Los Angeles 29 New Orleans 7  |
| NY Jets 33 New England 13  | Green Bay 25 St. Louis 21     |
| Pittsburgh 17 Oakland 9    | Washington 33 San Francisco 9 |
| Denver 30 San Diego 19     | (Only games scheduled)        |

Monday's Games

|                        |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Chicago at Kansas City | (Only game scheduled) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|

NBA

| Eastern Conference |    |      |      |    | Western Conference |    |      |      |    |
|--------------------|----|------|------|----|--------------------|----|------|------|----|
| Atlantic Division  |    |      |      |    | Midwest Division   |    |      |      |    |
| w.                 | l. | pct. | g.b. |    | w.                 | l. | pct. | g.b. |    |
| Boston             | 10 | 3    | .769 | —  | Milwaukee          | 14 | 1    | .933 | —  |
| New York           | 8  | 7    | .533 | 3  | Chicago            | 13 | 2    | .867 | 1  |
| Buffalo            | 6  | 10   | .375 | 5½ | Detroit            | 9  | 6    | .600 | 5  |
| Philadelphia       | 4  | 9    | .308 | 6  | KC-Omaha           | 5  | 10   | .333 | 9  |
| Central Division   |    |      |      |    | Pacific Division   |    |      |      |    |
| w.                 | l. | pct. | g.b. |    | w.                 | l. | pct. | g.b. |    |
| Atlanta            | 9  | 6    | .600 | —  | Los Angeles        | 9  | 6    | .600 | —  |
| Capital            | 7  | 6    | .538 | 1  | Portland           | 7  | 5    | .583 | ½  |
| Houston            | 4  | 11   | .267 | 5  | Houston State      | 7  | 5    | .583 | ½  |
| Cleveland          | 4  | 12   | .250 | 5½ | Seattle            | 5  | 12   | .294 | 5  |
|                    |    |      |      |    | Phoenix            | 2  | 12   | .143 | 6½ |

|                                  |                                |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Southern Cal 27 Stanford 26      | Whitman 7 Lewis-Clark 3        |
| UCLA 27 Oregon 7                 | Gen. Wash. 17 W. Wash. 7       |
| Cal 19 San Jose St. 9            | Northridge St. 20 Cal Poly     |
| Washington 41 Idaho 14           | Pomona 7                       |
| Wash. St. 13 Oregon St. 7        |                                |
| Ore. Coll. 28 Whitworth 0        | Redlands 28 Claremont-Mudd 7   |
| Wash. 13 Ore. Tech 2             |                                |
| So. Ore. 20 3 Ore. 7             | Pacific 42 Fresno St. 0        |
| EM. Mont. 35 Portland St. 13     | San Diego St. 17 Long Beach St |
| Willamette 13 Coll. of Idaho 3   | 2                              |
| LaVerne 55 Pomona-Oitner 16      | Azusa Pacific 37 Loyola 7      |
| Cal Poly (SLO) 63 Cal Luther. 14 | Linfield 21 Pacific 19         |
| S.F. St. 21 Humboldt St. 19      | Nevada-LV 42 N. Ariz. 14       |
| Chico St. 17 Hayward St. 6       | Cal-Davis 17 Nevada-Reno 6     |
| Concordian 45 Pac. Luther. 6     | San Diego U. 56 U.S.I.U. 20    |
|                                  | Hawaii 40 Santa Clara 9        |

College bowl bids suspense

No. 1 Buckeyes wait

United Press International  
Ohio State defeated Michigan State, 35-0, Saturday, but will have to wait two more weeks to find out its post-season bowl fate. Notre Dame should wait only half that long.

The top-ranked Buckeyes notched their third consecutive shutout Saturday and fourth of the season to reach an 8-0 record. But OSU has to go on the road against fourth-ranked Michigan in their last game before the Big Ten representative to the Rose Bowl is known. Michigan raised its record to 9-0 with a 21-6 decision

over stubborn Illinois and visits Purdue next week before the Nov. 24 clash with the Buckeyes. Ohio State hosts lowly Iowa on Nov. 17.

Meanwhile, most bowl bids will be issued next Saturday and fifth-ranked Notre Dame, 80, after its 31-10 thrashing of Pittsburgh, is expected to be the recipient of a nod from the Sugar Bowl, with its opponent likely to be No. 2 Alabama. The Crimson Tide, also 8-0, was idle this Saturday and has Miami (Fla.) on its schedule next weekend, with Notre Dame idle.

In the only game involving two top-10 teams No. 3 Oklahoma, unable to accept any post-season bid because it is on probation for recruiting violations, moved a step closer to the Big Eight title with a 31-3 victory over 10th-ranked Missouri. Oklahoma has only been tied by ninth-rated Southern California but will watch this New Year's Day bowl games on TV.

No. 6 Penn State had considerably more trouble in its contest with North Carolina State, tied 22-22 after three quarters before prevailing, 35-29. The Lions are expected to go to the Orange Bowl, facing seventh-ranked LSU, idle this past Saturday.

The Pacific-8 crown should, like its Big Ten Rose Bowl opponents, be decided in two weeks when UCLA, No. 8, meets No. 9 Southern Cal. The Bruins had little trouble with Oregon, winning 27-7, but the Trojans barely slipped past Satnford, 27-26, kicked a 34-yard field goal with three seconds left for the victory.

In other games, Nebraska downed Iowa State, 31-7, Texas routed Baylor, 42-6, to move within one game of a Cotton Bowl bid, Houston got past Colorado State, 28-20, Texas Tech stayed alive in the Southwest Conference race with a 24-10 decision over TCU, Miami of Ohio earned a Tangerine Bowl bid with a 20-10 victory over Kent State, Arizona State shut out Wyoming, 47-0, and Tulane edged Navy, 17-15.

Lompoc girls in state meet

The Lompoc Valley Track Club sent six members to yesterday's State AAU Cross Country Meet in San Mateo. Lori Hester (age 11) and Sherrie Holmdahl (10) took 21st and 23rd places in the 10-11-year-old race, in a field of 120 girls.

Maggie Knickrehm (12) placed 23rd in a field of 137

in the 12-13 race. In the 14-17 competition, Cindy Tykeson (15) took 37th and Kerri Marshall (14) 57th among 97 runners.

It was windy and rainy on the hilly College of San Mateo course. The local girls will compete in the National Championships on Nov. 21 in Albuquerque.

Secretariat: a sad trip

PARIS, Ky. (UPI) — Secretariat, the Triple Crown winner and regarded as one of the greatest race horses of all time, arrived at Claiborne Farm Sunday to begin his new life as a stallion.

Lucien Laurin, the little French-Canadian trainer who saddled the handsome colt in his great races, described the occasion as "like a funeral."

He referred to having the Triple Crown champion retired to stud while still only three years old and in his racing prime.

Secretariat's owner, Mrs. Helen "Penny" Tweedy of Meadow Stable in Virginia, pleaded with newsmen to be left alone with her thoughts because "this is a very difficult moment for me."

Secretariat and his stablemate, Riva Ridge, were flown to Bluegrass Field Airport at nearby Lexington, from New York and then brought in a motorcade, including two horse vans, to Claiborne Farm in the heart of the famed bluegrass horse country.

Bulls dog Bucks in tight NBA race

United Press International  
The Milwaukee Bucks have won 12 straight games in the National Basketball Association, but don't seem to be able to put any distance between themselves and the Chicago Bulls.

The Bucks shot 54 per cent Sunday night while defeating Capital, 110-91, to raise their record to 15-1, but the Bulls kept pace with their 12th consecutive victory, a 116-98 triumph over Seattle, to remain one game back.

In the only other NBA contest Kansas City-Omaha defeated Cleveland, 103-93. The Bullets had a streak of six victories broken by Milwaukee, despite the return of Wes Unseld in the third quarter. Unseld had missed the first 12 games of the season because of an arthritic left knee, but was ineffective in 13 minutes in the second half as Milwaukee put together a 57-40 halftime lead.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Oscar Robertson led the Bucks with 24 points apiece, while Elvin Hayes had a game-high 26 for Capital.

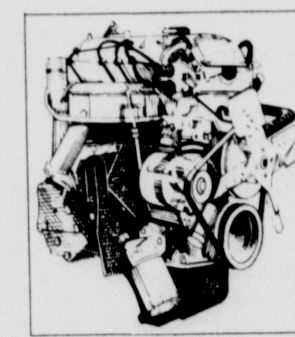
The Bulls, playing tight defense and a team offense, put their game away for good at the end of the third quarter, when they built a 74-61 lead into a 21-point third quarter margin of 86-65. Midway in the final quarter they had their largest lead of the evening, 104-81.

Norm Van Lier had game-high scoring honors with 30, while teammate Chet Walker added 17. Seattle's scoring was led by Spencer Haywood's 25 points.

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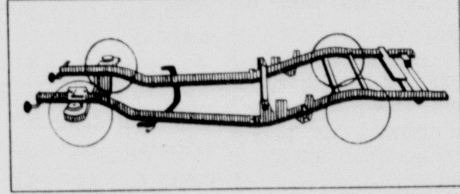
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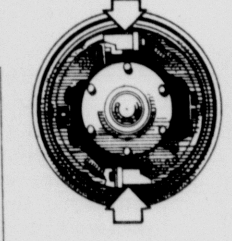


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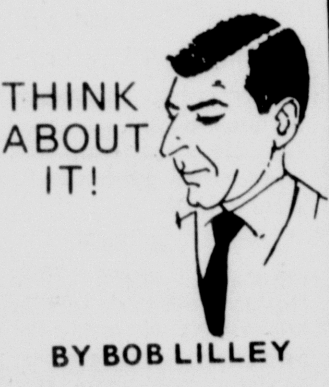
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BY BOB LILLEY

A few years ago, to be called a "builder" was a compliment. Whether it was furniture, roads or dams—public buildings or homes, the one responsible for their construction was looked upon as an individual making a positive contribution to society. The word has now changed to "developer"—and it is no longer a compliment. It is now synonymous with greed and despoliation of our environment for profit. "Blessed by the home builder"? Not today; it's back to the caves and forests everybody—Mother Nature will provide.

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By Oswald and James Jacoby

Jim: "There was a time when you were known as the

great exponent of psychic bidding, yet when I started to learn bridge you told me never to bid psychics. What caused you to give them up?" Oswald: "A lot of that reputation was undeserved. I did use weak jump overcalls. In fact, I invented that bid back in 1931. They were called psychics then, but they are not by modern definition since all players at the table know just what type hand I would hold when I made a jump overcall. As for ordinary fake bids, or psychics, I gave them up for two reasons. The unimportant one was that when they worked my opponents were likely to think they had been cheated. The important reason was that they didn't work often enough to make up for the times they acted like two-headed rattlesnakes and turned around and bit me. The hand shown today was

the clincher."

Jim: "There is nothing psychic about South's opening heart bid. The hand is minimum but it is a full-opening bid." Oswald: "Yes it is. I sat North. My partner bid frequent psychics and when I looked at my 28 points I was so sure he had bid one that I simply bid four hearts. It turned out he had every missing face card and we had missed about the easiest grand slam ever seen."

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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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12 Evergreen,  
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This business is conducted by a General Partnership  
Signed:  
Oliver R. Ogdahl  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Santa Barbara County on October 19, 1973.  
CERTIFICATION  
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.  
J. E. LEWIS,  
County Clerk  
By CLAUDIA SPRINGER  
Deputy Clerk  
Statement expires Dec. 31, 1978  
11322  
4T—Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 1973

## —PUBLIC NOTICE—

### SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

Notice of Hearing Petition for Probate of Will and of Application for Letters Testamentary.  
In the Matter of the Estate of EMMA B. SMITH, also known as Emma Bland Smith, also known as E. B. Smith, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HOWARD R. SMITH has filed herein a petition for the probate of the will of EMMA B. SMITH, also known as Emma Bland Smith, also known as E. B. Smith, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary, reference to which is hereby made for further particulars, and that the time and place of hearing the same has been set for Monday, November 19, 1973, at 9:30 a.m., in the courtroom of Department No. SM One of said court at the County Building, 312 East Cook Street, in the City of Santa Maria, California.  
Dated Oct. 31, 1973  
J. E. LEWIS,  
CLERK  
By S. R. Llama,  
Deputy Clerk  
GROSSMAN & COX,  
Attorneys for Petitioner

3T—Nov. 2, 8, 12, 1973

## —PUBLIC NOTICE—

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JAMES R. McCLAIN  
210 Huntington  
Ventura, California 93001  
This business is conducted by A General Partnership  
Signed:  
Raymond P. Perry  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Ventura County on October 18, 1973.

CERTIFICATION  
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.  
J. E. LEWIS  
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By Claudia Springer,  
Deputy Clerk

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## 2 Notices

**Help! The Children's Home Society** needs volunteer Santa Clauses. Be a Santa for a night. Have fun while bringing joy to community children. All that's needed is a convincing "Ho, Ho, Ho!" Call Bonnie Dunlap, 3-1261 for more information.

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The Record's aim is to present facts in its news columns and opinions in its editorial columns.

## Impeachment thoughts

Watergate is developing such momentum that each day brings new and startling development. Editorial comments are valid only for the newspaper edition in which they appear — if they hold up that long.

It was certainly a stunning revelation that two of the tapes did not exist. Last week, it was more stunning to hear that the tapes are barely discernible, of extremely poor quality and almost impossible to transcribe.

Bizarre is the only word for all of this.

The nation went to the brink of presidential impeachment, and still hangs there, because of Mr. Nixon's refusal to release the Watergate tapes to Judge John Sirica. Then, under pressure, he relented, but now we are told two of the tapes that might have gone far toward establishing the President's innocence or complicity in the sordid affair just aren't available in this world. Furthermore, what tapes may be available can't be understood.

Now the question. Now that the tapes in which the nation invested such overriding concern appear to have evaporated in thin air, what remedy or remedies remain in the hands of Congress or the courts?

It begins to appear that a full-scale

impeachment proceeding against the President may be the only way to get the truth.

But there is a problem in that the Constitution specifies impeachable offenses as "treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors." The impeachment process is, first of all, an inquiry conducted by the House of Representatives into one or more of those charges. It may or may not lead to actual indictment and trial by Senate.

The House, lacking any hard evidence against Richard Nixon, would nevertheless have to charge him with some offense, probably under the broad heading of "misdemeanors," simply in order to obtain the information which would enable it to discover any offense had been committed at all.

It would in effect, be a kind of inquisition, and it appears that not many members of Congress are eager at this juncture to take such a drastic step.

In light of his strong statement last week that he would not resign, it would appear, however, that the only true way to get at the truth would be to follow the advice of Republican Senator George D. Aiken of Vermont: "Impeach him or get off his back."

Washington calling by Marquis Childs

## Voter discontent

WASHINGTON —The elections last week, if they proved anything, showed that the ins are in bad trouble, whether Republicans or Democrats. In New Jersey the massive democratic sweep brought in not only Brenda T. Byrne as governor but control of both houses of the legislature, thereby ending four years of Republican rule.

While the result there was more impressive than anywhere else, the same outcome was registered with a few exceptions around the country. The Republican candidate in New Jersey, Rep. Charles W. Sandman Jr., was no bargain and his last-minute demagogic appeals on the abortion question badly backfired.

On both sides of the continent the voters said "no" to propositions of Republican governors. In California they turned down Ronald Reagan's constitutional amendment that would have fixed a ceiling on state spending with a limit of state taxes. Reagan had stumped the state for his proposal, and rejection is a setback for his presidential ambitions.

In New York the voters turned down Gov. Nelson Rockefeller's \$3.5 billion transportation bond issue. This was designed to reshape the transportation tangle in New York City, give commuters a break and cut down the pollution coming from the one-man - to - one-car traffic clogging the highways in and out of the city. Rockefeller, too, is on the presidential trail, and what happened on Tuesday will be a blow to a comprehensive plan that could have advertised to a nation suffering from many of the same ills.

The ancient formula — turn the rascals out — is a reflection of the winter of America's deep discontent. In the drive to bring about President Nixon's resignation or, failing that, his impeachment is an expression of

this discontent on the national level.

The indignation behind the ancient formula is understandable. With it goes a sense of betrayal. But, given the complexity of the times and the peril inherent in a world of nuclear stalemate, it hardly seems enough. Dumping Nixon and putting Gerald Ford in his place is bound to bring an improvement, such is the current belief.

One of the few men in public life trying to enlarge the political dialogue beyond merely turning out the rascals is Mayor Kevin White of Boston. He proposes a special presidential election to be held in 1974 to elect a President and a vice president. In the interval Ford would be acting President following Nixon's removal from office by one means or another.

After conferring with distinguished members of the Harvard Law School faculty, White is convinced there is no bar in the constitution to such a special election. It would require a law passed by both Houses of Congress and the process would then follow a normal presidential election — party conventions in September, voting on a President and vice president to come along with the congressional elections.

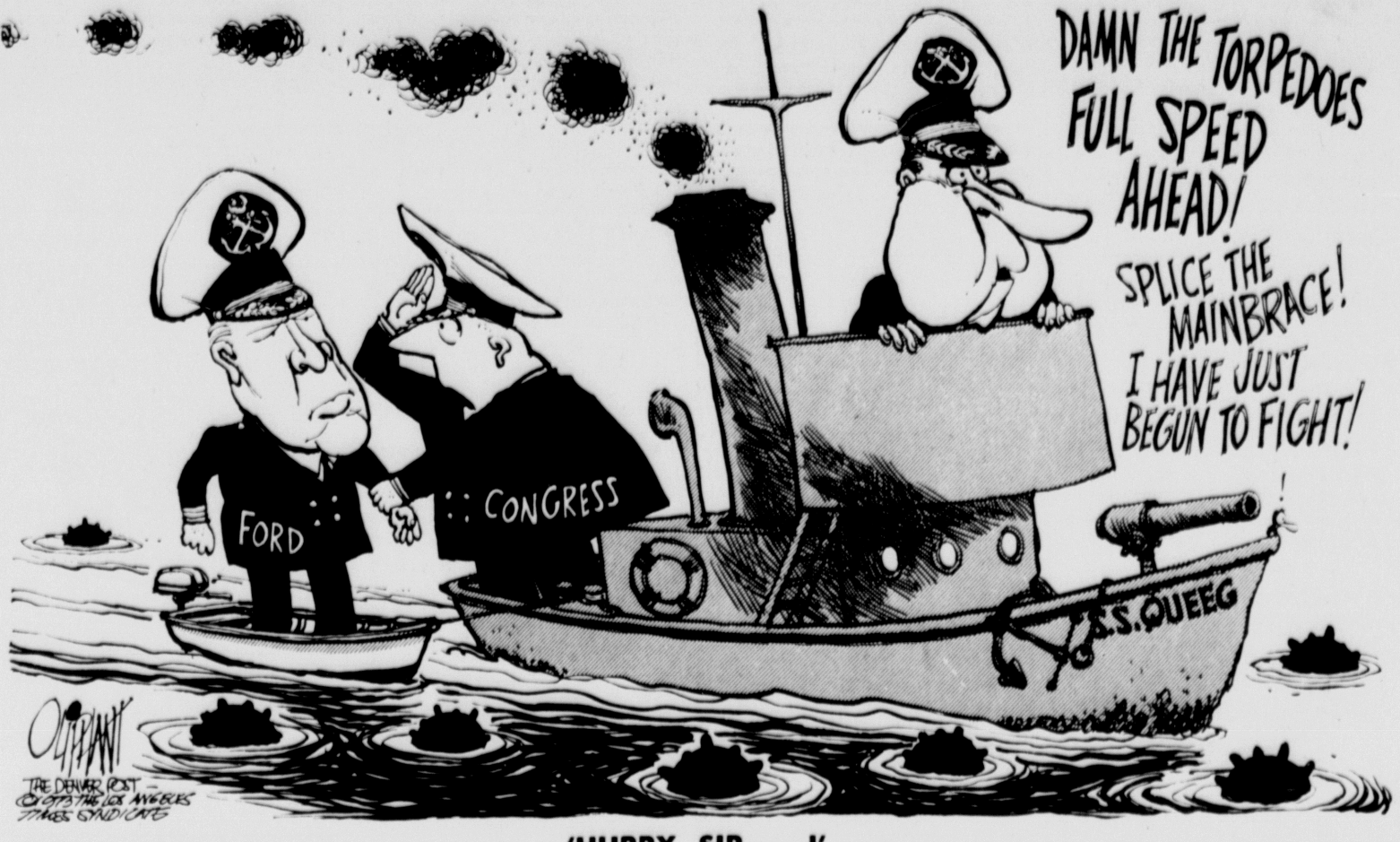
White argues that putting Ford in the place of Nixon would settle nothing nor would it end the dennybrook growing out of the Nixon administration scandals. From the practical political point of view Ford's renunciation of any ambition for 1976 is heavily discounted.

Established in the office, confronting a sea of troubles, he would win wide sympathy. Put forward as another Harry Truman, as the modest man from Michigan, he would be unbeatable. This seems not to have occurred to those, including many prominent Democrats, clamoring for Nixon's removal.

There would be no reason, with Nixon out, why Ford could not be a

candidate for the two-year term, taking his case for vindication to the country.

The White scenario must remain a dream sequence so long as President Nixon stays in office. Nevertheless, it offers a political prospect beyond the buzz-buzz of anger, as though of a beehive suddenly turned over, that threatens to continue into the indefinite future. The only trouble with the turn-the-rascals-out formula is that too often in the past new rascals have taken their places.



'HURRY, SIR . . .!'

H & Ocean by Harry Crompe

## A new study

Last Wednesday we were turning the television dial and came across the local cable television production called "The City Council Meeting."

We tuned in during the middle of a discussion that lasted a considerable amount of time featuring City Councilman Sol Lefkowitz and the city's community development director, Al Autry.

Maybe it was because we tuned in on the middle of the discussion that it never did make much sense even when it was concluded.

From what we gathered, the city is intending to throw in \$10,000 to match another \$10,000 from the federal government, for what is to be called an "Environmental Resources Management Study" of the city.



It appeared from what Mr. Autry said that a technical advisory committee had to be appointed in order to get this thing rolling. Mr. Lefkowitz wasn't particularly fond of the recommendations for the advisory committee on the basis

that some persons lived outside the city. He argued that if the city was studied by any advisory group, it should be an advisory group that lived in the city.

Complicating the matter was the information that the County of Santa Barbara has been allocated \$40,000 for a similar study and Mr. Lefkowitz questioned whether or not there would be duplicity. Frankly, we believe there will be some.

We have asked our City Hall reporter to dig into this new "study" as it appears to be built on a bureaucratic basis that won't produce any results for months on end. In a brief outline by Mr. Autry, it appears that the technical advisory committee which he now seeks, will be followed by a general city advisory committee to which the technical advisory committee will report along with the management consultants who will be contacted for the study. In addition, we will have involvement of city staff, city planning commission and certainly, city council. Meanwhile, if the County decides to do the same, we will have another technical advisory

committee reporting to a general county advisory committee reporting to a county planning commission reporting to the board of supervisors and further involvement of county staff. Whew!

THOUGHTS WHILE SHAVING

Lady called us last week after hearing Nixon's energy crisis speech and suggests that we overhaul our building codes to mandate the insulation of all homes and buildings. Ed Rodgers' definition of an environmentalist: "The guy who built his cabin in the woods last year." The Wall Street Journal tells the story of the Massachusetts firm that decided to check, by telephone, on employees who were absent because they claimed sickness. They had to abandon the program, however, when a union steward claimed a violation of the law. His charge: practicing medicine without a license. The coming events sign in front of Lompoc High School has finally been removed and is now replaced with a polished wooden sign that simply says "Home of the Braves." We understand that the monarch butterflies that usually land in the Pismo Beach area every year sort of overshot their mark this year and that is the reason we are seeing so many.

Common ground by Steve La Rue

## The otter invasion

An ecological debate in September, which itself generated arguments more than 18 degrees above the ambient temperatures, centered around whether or not the warm water discharge from the Diablo Canyon nuclear power

facility will kill off the kelp and abalone in Diablo Cove or a larger area.

But, in an intriguing environmental irony, the future as a sport and commercial fishery of the whole, isolated 13-mile shoreline reef encompassing Diablo Cove may soon be rudely decided not by utility planners and environmental lawyers, but by foraging herds of sea otters.

It seems that in the early 1900s California Sea Otters were thrown as an afterthought under the protection of legislation designed mainly to safeguard the Fur Seal. The mammals were then believed by many to be extinct. Actually, remnant populations clung on and, after the act sheltered them, began to burgeon.

They've since grown so healthy as a population, in fact, that to date they've picked clean the entire coastal area from Monterey Bay to Cayucos (near Morro Bay) of sport and commercial populations of abalone, one of their preferred foods.

Nor are the sea otters helpless in man's world. In fact, they have their own political constituency and are still protected, now by a federal commission, though the commercial abalone fishing industry has been trying to clamp down controls on them for over 10 years.

Richard Burge, a State Department of Fish and Game marine biologist, who produced this information, reports that he's spotted members of the great otter hoard's advanced guard on

reconnaissance as nearby as the Montana De Oro State Park area, south of Morro Bay and very near the abalone rich, rocky habitat of which Diablo Cove is a part.

It's just a matter of months, Burge forecasts, before they arrive as far south as Diablo Cove, stripping the shoreline ecosystem of all but bare survival populations of abalone, sea urchins and crabs on their way.

The burly mammals won't exterminate the abalone populations, Burge says, because they won't be able to get to them all. Enough of the algae-eating, delicate-tasting, excellent-with-white-wine shellfish will survive to reproduce. But almost certainly not enough will be left to rate any kind of billing on the menu at your favorite seafood emporium.

If the bull kelp, the chief abalone nutrient, survives the warm water discharge in the Diablo area, in fact, marine biologists say they'll have a heck of a time determining if abalone populations are being thinned out by the plant's warm water discharge or just by the otters.

Likely because the sea mammal's political bark is still strong with the marine mammals protective organizations, nothing has been done to check the otters, though the Dept. of Fish and Game, Burge suggests, may recommend a management program — which would seem to suggest some hunting.

But working through federal commissions takes time, possibly more than the few months this patch of coastline has before the invasion. And the tug-of-war this time could be between environmentalist group and environmentalist group.

Or should sport and commercial abalone fishermen be made a protected species?

